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EFFECT OF A MASSACHUSETTS GAMBLING LAW.

A Gambling-House Proprietor Has to Pay $30,000—Sentence of Death on Murderer Almy—Mr. Laurier in Boston—Talk on Reciprocity.

BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 21.—John Stetson, banker, broker and theatrical manager, yesterday paid to Mrs. Anna B. Everett $30,000, and thus settled one of the most remarkable cases ever tried before a Massachusetts court. Mrs. Everett claimed that Mr. Stetson was the proprietor of a swell gambling club known as the Carleton, in Hamilton Place. On the night of November 2nd, 1889, J. Bourne, jr., of New Bedford, son of the late millionaire mill owner, "bucked the tiger" at the Carleton and lost $25,000 in one sitting. He was drunk at the time and played recklessly. He gave his notes to cover his losses, and then kicked about paying them. After he had sobered off, to keep the matter quiet, he compromised by paying $16,000. One of Stetson's clerks, George Everett, knew of this incident and used it to good advantage, for when he was arrested on a charge of embezzlement he alleged that Stetson wanted to get rid of him that he might not see too much of what was done at the Carleton. There were 56 counts in the indictment, and the jury declared him not guilty on 53 of them and disagreed as to the other three. That case was placed on the docket for a new trial. Then Everett's wife went to his rescue in a novel way. There is an old law in Massachusetts which gives to any person the right to recover money lost at gaming by any other person, provided the loser does not bring suit within three months. In this case recovery by plaintiff is to receive three times the amount lost. Mrs. Everett learned of this law, and she immediately sued Scetson to recover $51,000, which is three times the amount which Bourne lost at gambling, including interest. Bourne was not a party to this suit; he would have given that sum to have kept the matter quiet, but Mrs. Everett had a twofold object in view, and would not abandon her case. Bourne thereupon departed for Oregon, and is there now. The case was brought into court, and Mrs. Everitt was in danger of losing it on the original declaration, but she discovered new evidence, which it is alleged, proved conclusively that Stetson was the proprietor of the club, and also that Bourne lost at gambling the sum named. There was a long legal wrangle over this amendment, and a few days ago permission was granted her to amend the original declaration. The defendant evidently did not care to have that case outlaw go before the court, and on Thursday he offered the compromise. Mrs. Everett refused to listen to any talk of a compromise until the criminal case against her husband was withdrawn. Yesterday at 3 p.m. this case was "nolle prossed," and a few minutes later Stetson's lawyer paid to Mrs. Everett $30,000 in cash.

Murderer Almy Sentenced.

PLYMOUTH, N.H., Nov. 19.—Counsel for Almy, on trial for murder, began his argument before the court when it opened to-day. He admitted the murder, but only in the second degree. The prisoner's counsel closed his plea at 11:30. A recess followed, after which Attorney-General Barnard spoke for the prosecution. He closed about noon. The court then adjourned. At 2 o'clock the jury handed down a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree, and the judge sentenced Almy to hang on the first Tuesday in December, 1892.

CONCORD, N.H., Nov. 19.—Several hundred people met the train on which Almy arrived from Plymouth. The prisoner was surrounded by the sheriffs and members of the police force, who escorted him to the barge which was to take him to prison. As he approached the barge, cries of "hang him," "lynch him," and "string him up with ropes," were heard, but the officers finally lodged Almy in prison, where he was assigned to the murderer's cell.

Mr. Laurier at Boston.

BOSTON, Nov. 19.—In Faneuil Hall to-day, Hon. Wilfred Laurier, the Canadian statesman, was given a public reception by prominent merchants of Boston. In an enthusiastic speech he said he represented half the people of Canada, and their banner waved for the greatest freedom of trade. To those who believe in protection he said the system would not be affected by reciprocity. The question could be settled without referring to annexation. There should be nothing but the greatest cordiality between Canada and the great republic. Blood is thicker than water and must tell. War between the United States and England would be fratricidal. We should treat as brothers about our future relations, henceforth and forever.

A Georgia Murder.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Nov. 21.—W. D. Bracewell was killed yesterday by D. W. Smith at the latter's saw mill in Lawrence county. Bracewell had gone to the mill on business. Smith called him to one side and the men had an earnest conversation, in which Smith was heard to accuse Bracewell of complicity in the murder of Smith's father, who mysteriously disappeared some time ago. All knowledge of the elder Smith's fate was denied by Bracewell, who then started to walk away. Smith seized a piece of scantling and struck Bracewell a violent blow on the head. Smith then walked to his home, a short distance away, and has not been seen since. Bracewell died within two hours.

Has Had Many Husbands.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 21.—Dr. Wm. M. Tedford, of Cincinnati, has brought suit against Mrs. Kate McCullough, sister-in-law of J. B. McCullough, editor of the Globe-Democrat, Mrs. Jas. McGrath, and Mrs. F. A. Wetty for $5,000 damages for alienation of his wife's affections. The defendants are the daughters of Mrs. Tedford, and the doctor claims that every time she has married since the first her daughters have caused trouble between their mother and stepfather. Mrs. Tedford was first a Mrs. Lawrence. After the death of Mr. Lawrence she became a Mrs. Tieman, wife of the champion billiardist of Cincinnati. At his death she married Mr. Bruns, a brother of the petroleum king of New York. She obtained a divorce from him and married Mr. Tedford, whom she left some weeks ago.

THE GOLD CURE MAN.

Dr. Leslie E. Keeley, of Dwight, and His Interesting Secret.

Few men have the same degree of newspaper notice as Dr. Leslie E. Keeley, of Dwight, Ill. He is at the head of a company, running about 20 institutions in various parts of the country, established for the treatment of inebriates and persons similarly diseased. The treatment followed remains

a secret with Dr. Keeley. It is known as the bichloride of gold cure, and is applied by means of hypodermic injections and draughts. Great public interest, one need not say, is manifested in Dr. Keeley and his operations, rendering an excellent portrait and sketch of the man most welcome.

The doctor is of Irish extraction. His early years were spent in St. Lawrence County, New York. He is a well-educated man and a graduate in medicine. In the war he was an army surgeon, and was interested in the study of inebrity, which he became convinced was a physical disease and accordingly to be treated as such. At the close of his experience in the army he settled at Dwight, Ill., where he continued experiments, resulting in the announcement that, after twenty years laborious application to the task he had set himself to accomplish, he had discovered a cure for drunkenness.

Dr. Keeley is a well built man, over six feet high. He is a courteous and affable person, and his appearance and manner suggest the strong decision and endurance which one acquainted with his career would naturally expect to see him in.

Balmaceda's Agent's Adventures.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 21.—W. A. Burns, of San Francisco, formerly the secret agent of Balmaceda, yesterday received notice from the Department of State at Washington that the property taken from him by the German authorities had been recovered. He will therefore start for Europe immediately. Speaking yesterday of his mission to Europe, he said: "What my mission was has never been known, but I can say that it was for the purpose of procuring arms and ammunition in European countries. At Plymouth, England, I was cabled to proceed to a certain city on the continent, where I could get smokeless powder. At Berlin the Balmacedans had placed to my credit the sum of $80,000, but when I first had occasion to draw against it I was thrown into prison, charged with being a suspicious character. Detectives of the Congressionalists were on my track and had caused my arrest to get the money; but I was quickly released and proceeded to Frankfort-on-the-Main, where again I was arrested and released on the ground of insufficient evidence. Every private paper I possessed and all my money and jewelery were taken from me, and I have never seen any of the valuables nor been recompensed in any manner for my loss. I could not speak German, and consequently spent five days in a six-by-three cell. My only food consisted of small bits of black bread. Consul Hessenberkeuk finally secured my release and I hastened home."

Chili Concedes a Point.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Special dispatches to the Herald from Valparaiso say that Chili has at length conceded a point to the United States, in treatment of the case of the assault upon the Baltimore's sailors. Capt. Schley, yesterday, received a notice granting his request, that the United States representatives be furnished by the court of enquiry with copies of all depositions made before it in the investigation. It will be remembered that this same request had been absolutely refused on all previous occasions. It is supposed that the Chilian authorities, finding that our government was maintaining a fair but firm attitude, has determined to meet it half-way. It has become known here, and in Santiago, that the United States was despatching a large number of warships to the Pacific squadron, and there is no doubt that this news had a salutary effect in Chili. The electoral college unanimously voted for Admiral Jorge Montt, as president of the republic yesterday. A large fire occurred in Santiago, Wednesday, destroying several buildings facing the municipal theatre. The destruction of the theatre was seriously threatened at one time.

San Jose Slander Case.

SAN JOSE, Cal., Nov. 20.—In the Rea-Wood slander suit to-day the defence rested. Their last witness was the defendant. He made a sweeping denial of the allegations of the complainant. He denied that he had ever said that he had robbed his father or mother.

THE CONSPIRACY CASE.

THE TRIAL OPENED AT NANAIMO YESTERDAY.

Several Witnesses Examined—The Prosecutor in the Witness Box—The Case for the Prosecution Not Yet Closed—The Court in Session To-day.

NANAIMO, Nov. 20.—The court opened at 2 o'clock yesterday for the hearing of the conspiracy case against Messrs. Keith, M. P. P., Tully Boyce and Arthur Wilson. Mr. Eberts, of Victoria, appeared for the prosecution and Mr. J. Campbell for the defence.

W. Pyper was the first witness called and gave evidence to show he had been a coal miner at Nanaimo for the past four years. He had principally worked for the New V.C.C. and continued to do so until the 29th day of August last. There were no complaints made against him to his knowledge. He knew the Miners and Mine Laborers' Protective Association; had been a member of it; had paid assessments towards its support; the last he paid was towards last fall 1890; stopped paying then and began again in the spring; did so because he was afraid he would lose his work. He knew all the defendants in this case. Remembered January of this year. He belonged to branch No. 1 of the association (rules and by laws produced). These are the rules of the association. William Neive is the present secretary of local union No. 1, has held that [illegible] since February 1890. Tully Boyce is the president of the association, T. Salmond is vice-president, John Horribin, general secretary; and Arthur Spencer, treasurer. Remember August 8th of this year, he was at the miners mass meeting on the Foresters picnic grounds; Mr. Boyce presided at the meeting; he made a speech at the meeting which witness listened to; he was speaking of the strike and said—Mr. Robins was going to enter into an agreement with the association, so that all those who would not pay their assessment would be discharged and the strikers put in their places. Witness worked at Southfield; there are some miners there who do not belong to the association. Remember August 17th there was a meeting of No. 1 branch of the association on that day. A few days after, in consequence of what had transpired at the meeting, a notice was placed on the pithead of Southfield mine where he was working, announcing the discharge of a number of men, and among them himself, who had to quit on the 31st of August. Remember the last day mentioned, as there was a meeting of No. 1 branch in the Odd Fellows hall. He was at that meeting. Arthur Wilson presided; Mr. Keith entered during the meeting; Tully Boyce was also present. Mr. Boyce said the men who were discharged claimed they were in the majority, but they were in the minority and "we meaning the union will 'crush this minority out of existence and they will have to come to our terms or get out of their work." They had to pay a month's assessment and promise to pay all back assessments, and to pay in the future.

Cross examined by Mr. Campbell for the defence: I did not want to pay the assessment, I was only a member three months, I paid 25 cents per month as a member. I refused to come under the diciplime of the association. I attended the meetings as they are open meetings, they are not secret only delegate meetings. Some of the acts I complain of were done at open meetings; there is nothing done secretly that I know of; have never been a delegate myself. He repeated that Tully Boyce had made the statement complained of on the Foresters pic-nic grounds. The agreement of Mr. Robins with the association, which was referred to by Mr. Boyce, does not contain the statement made by him (Boyce). Had not any communication with the Wellington people, I saw Mr. Brydee yesterday; I have asked him for work, but I told him I could not go to work there until this case was settled. Mr. Boyce said on August 31st that he would crush this minority out of existence or make them come to our terms, or they would have to get out. I am a non-union man and I will remain so for some time.

Mr. M. Bate, jr., chief clerk of the New V. C. C., was called and stated he seen a list of names made up of those who have not paid up their assessment. I have seen a notice of that sort signed by Mr. Robins; I don't know where it is now; I saw it on the 21st of August; I don't know who took it away; I did not write or copy it. I can't say if I saw Mr. Keith that day. I have seen Mr. Keith and A. Wilson at the office several times.

Cross-examination by Mr. Campbell failed to elicit any further information.

His honor informed Mr. Bate, the witness, that he should have searched the office and ascertained if a copy of the notice is there as he was served with a notice to that effect.

Witness handed in a paper which was left in the hands of the registrar.

Witness—I take this paper to be a copy of the notice placed on the pithead. I don't know who scratched the names out. I have seen the original copy. Mr. Gowland did the typewriting; I am in charge of the office during Mr. Robin's absence.

William Neive, secretary of No. 1 branch, was the next witness called, but by mistake of his supboena he was not informed to bring the books. He was served with such a subpoena in court.

Hugh Campbell called—In the course of his evidence stated he belonged to the association. He was one of the men that were discharged because he would not continue to pay the assessments. Court was here adjourned for one hour.

After the adjournment James Leask was called and in his evidence he stated that he did not know who put the notice on the pit head.

Mr. Campbell objected to his learned friend asking witness what the notice contained.

Mr. Eberts—Who put up the notice?

Witness—In the position I am in I can't say if I recollect who put it up.

Witness proved to be a very hard nut for the prosecution to crack and tried the patience of the court to the utmost.

William Neive was recalled and handed in the minute book of the association.

Mr. Campbell objected to the producing of the book on the ground that it may contain something that would implicate the defendants. Argument was here entered between counsel. The judge allowed the book to be produced.

Entries were read by counsel for the prosecution, showing that the meeting roquested Mr. S. M. Robins to take steps to discharge a number of men who refused to pay the assessment.

Mr. Campbell again objected to the reading of the entries. His Honor, after considerable argument, stated if the witness refuses to state what is in this book on the ground that it will incriminate himself. I order this book to be retained among the records of the Court, because if there is anything incriminating in it, as the defence is afraid of, it should be in the hands of the police.

The court then adjourned.

FROM NEW WESTMINSTER.

A Boat Damaged by Fire—The Yosemite's Trip.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Nov. 21.—About four o'clock this morning fire was discovered on the steamer Blonde, belonging to Terhume & Co. lying at the penitentiary wharf. The boat was badly burned, all the centre part being gone, her engines ruined, the sheathing burned out, and the boat left a total wreck. No insurance. She came in the night before and a little fire was left in the furnace. It is not known whether this or the stove in the galley started the blaze. There was nobody aboard.

The Yosemite arrived at 9 this morning. She left Victoria yesterday at noon and had a rough time in the gulf. She takes a very heavy load down this afternoon:—8 cars of wheat, 60 head of cattle, 1 Brill street car, and a lot of other stuff.

THE PRINTING BUREAU.

Chapleau Illustrates His Idea of Purification Measures.

OTTAWA, Nov. 21.—Chapleau has asked one of the Printing Bureau staff to answer to the charge of giving away information which led to the scandal of last session regarding that establishment. This is how the Secretary of State feels about purifying the Bureau.

Mr. Foster denies the rumor cabled from England that the Government has made arrangements for the establishing of a fast line of steamers.

De Giers' Mysterious Mission.

WIESBADEN, Nov. 20.—It is semi-officially announced that the report that M. De Giers, the Russian Minister of Foreign Affairs, goes to Paris for the purpose of concluding a treaty of alliance between Russia and France, is baseless. It is stated that after M. De Giers visits Paris he will go to Berlin, whither his family, who are at present at Wiesbaden, will proceed and await him.

PARIS, Nov. 20.—Notwithstanding the semi-official denial which came from Wiesbaden yesterday that the reported object of De Giers, Russian Foreign Minister, in visiting Paris was to conclude a treaty of alliance between his government and that of France, La Gaulois which is the organ of the Count of Paris, publishes an article this morning which shows it is the paper's belief that that is alone the reason for the Russian minister's visit. La Gaulois appeals to all Frenchmen to silence their discords during De Giers' stay in Paris. It says:—"We are all agreed as to the advantage to be derived from an alliance with Russia. Some day, perhaps, such an alliance will restore to us the integrity of our territory and power."

The Crofter Commission.

LONDON, Nov. 20—The official gazette this afternoon announces the names of the gentlemen who are to compose the Royal Commission promised to provide for the relief for the congested districts of the Highlands and Islands of Scotland, and of Ireland, by enabling a large number of families from those points of the kingdom to settle in Canada. This commission is composed of the Secretary for Scotland, the Marquis of Midlothian; the Under-Secretary for Scotland, the Hon. R. W. Cochran; Sir Charles Tupper, Horace Plunkett, Magistrate Ross, the Provost of Glasgow, and Thos. Skinner, director of the Northwest Land Company of Canada. The secretary of the commission is Jos. Gross, Esq.

A 'Frisco Fire.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—Fire broke out at 3 o'clock this morning in a large three-storey brick structure on Gold street, between Montgomery and Sansome, used as a mill for the manufacture of shoddy cloth by J. J. Davis. In an hour the entire inside of the place was burned, leaving nothing but the walls standing. Loss, $30,000; partly insured.

Died by Strangulation.

ROANOKE, Va., Nov. 21.—Henry Nowlin, colored, was hanged yesterday at Fincastle, Va., for the murder of an Italian named Moses last August near Buchanan. The drop fell at 11:15 and the negro died of strangulation. After hanging 42 minutes the body was cut down. The execution was private.

A Mail Carrier Robbed.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Nov. 21.—Mail-rider Robinson was held up Thursday by three masked men at a lonely place on his route and compelled to give up not only his mail pouch but his horse. He walked 15 miles to Guntersville and reported the robbery to the sheriff, who organized a posse and started in pursuit.

CANADIAN NOTES.

Recent Events Reported From the Eastern Provinces.

Major Dain, of Toronto, died from poison taken accidentally.

James F. Darch, for over half a century a resident of London, is dead.

A boy named Montgomery has died at Fraserville from the effects of swallowing a hairpin.

The tug Eliza Brown caught fire at Belleville and is a total loss; insurance $25,000 in the Caledonian.

A man has brought word to West Superior of the murder in Rainy River district of Thos. Redding and a man named Bruce.

The four-year-old son of Wm. Dooley, a Gatineau farmer, who was bitten a week since by a rabid dog, is dead. The dog has been killed.

C. Reynolds' distillery at Berthier, Quebec, has been confiscated because the proprietor recently removed dutiable spirits by night.

The liabilities of Lewis Wigle, trading under the style of Solomon Wigle & Son, of Leamington and Wheatley, are $101,000; assets, $100,000.

James Turnbull, fireman in Tookey's sash and door factory at Sundridge, one of the men injured by the recent boiler explosion, has died from his injuries.

The Highland battalion at Toronto has been allotted No. 48 in the militia list; J. I. Davidson, President of the Board of Trade, has been gazetted colonel.

The nuns of the Precious Blood, of St. Hyacinthe, have accepted the invitation of Monsigneur Gross, bishop of Oregon, to open a branch of their order in his diocese.

The Dominion imports for four months show a reduction of a million dollars and the exports a reduction of four hundred thousand, although there is a large increase last month.

treal for [illegible] A. Smith has left Montreal two months, where he will re- Sir Donald will attend the meeting of the Hudson's Bay Company next December.

Near Wiarton, Ont., while trying to secure a deer which they had chased into a small lake and shot, and which they thought was dead, two men were drowned by the animal upsetting their boat.

The Northwest Assembly will probably be called to meet in the first week in December. The only obstruction in the issuing of the proclamation is the delay in receiving returns from Cumberland.

In Sunday night's gale the schooner Montcalm, of Toledo, loaded with iron ore and with a crew of six, having her mainmast broken, was driven among the rocks at Selkirk on Lake Erie and is a total wreck.

The Mail says: The history which the Liberals have made on constitutional questions points to the conclusion that Mercier can gain their sympathies more easily by resigning than by allowing himself to be dismissed.

Deer Park Sanitarium, a private retreat for inebriates, situated in Toronto's northern suburb, was opened last Saturday. The building, which cost $30,000, is provided with every facility for the restoration to health of the patients.

Miss Nora Clench will make her farewell appearance in Hamilton at a concert to be given on Nov. 25 before leaving for Belgium for two years to study the Belgium school of violin playing. Miss Clench will sail on Nov. 28 and will study in Brussels.

A year ago John McGregor, of Askilton, Nova Scotia, was buried, and it was reported that money and prized personal effects were buried with him. The other day the remains were found exposed and the grave violated. Little doubt is entertained but that ghouls were after the valuables.

The preliminary objections to the contestation of the election of Sir Hector Langevin for Richelieu have been dismissed. It is claimed the petition against Sir Hector will be withdrawn and that he will choose Three Rivers, where the contestation has already been dismissed, thus vacating the seat for Richelieu.

Frank Leonard, M. Masuret, J. W. Little and Geo. G. Gibbons, Q.C., all prominent London Liberals, have each entered a suit of $50,000 against the London Free Press for printing documents filed in connection with the Hyman election petition and which charges the above named persons with bribery and intimidation.

Hon. Honore Mercier, Premier of Quebec, has sworn out criminal charges against J. P. Whelan, the contractor for the Quebec court house, who is alleged to have stated that he had to pay heavy sums to him and several members of the latter's government to secure the contract to do certain work. The Premier has also made similar charges against the newspapers.

Premier Abbott states that there is no truth in the report that the Government has decided to ask Parliament to vote a million dollars for the Atlantic steamship service. A cable dispatch from London says: "The Canadian Government is treating with Furness, Liberal M. P. for Liverpool, and owner of the Furness line of steamships, for a five-day mail service between Canada and England. It is believed the negotiations will have a favorable conclusion."

A number of cars have been lately built for the Canadian Pacific, expressly for the purpose of transporting troops across the Dominion for the Government. A special train of these cars left Montreal last night for Vancouver, where they will take on 860 of the Royal Marines, whose terms of service have expired. They will be brought to Halifax, where they will embark for England about December 15. It is proposed to open by this route an expeditious way of sending troops to British Columbia, India and other stations.

A Montreal dispatch of last Monday says: "Premier Mercier's friends claim that he has sworn affidavits from Contractor Whelan that he never has paid any money for corrupt purposes, and they say Whelan will not dare, in the face of these documents, to go into the witness box and swear to the contrary. Whelan has not been seen for several days past, and there are many rumors afloat regarding his movements and intentions." L'Evenement publishes an interview with Honorable Charles Langlier, who admits that both he and Achile Carnier, member of the Provincial parliament for Gaspe, received the amount charged against them by Whelan's lawyers and paid as such, and, moreover, were not at the time members of the local legislature.

Owing to the increase in the number of cases of diphtheria in Toronto, Dr. O'Reilly has definitely decided not to admit any more cases of the disease into the General Hospital. Dr. Allen, the medical health officer, is accordingly on the lookout for a temporary diphtheria hospital. The old Upper Canada College building has been offered to the Health authorities to be used as a pest house. The number of cases thus far this week reported to the Health Department is 62. The typhoid outbreak shows a considerable decrease this week.

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"With all my heart, my dear fellow. I am glad to meet you, and welcome you as one [illegible] that most famous medicine, Paine's Celery Compound. To be brief, I will just say the doctor declared I was an incurable from Bright's disease. I was also a dyspeptic and my condition from suffering sleeplessness and prostration was so dangerous, that I recognized the fact I was nearing the grave. I arranged my affairs, that is I made my will and prepared for my end. Providence, in his infinate mercy, sent me a messenger of peace—a friend who urged me to use your Celery Compound. I did so without consulting my doctor, and to-day I am a living proof of its wonderful and recuperative powers. I sleep well, eat heartly, and feel myself stronger than I have been for five years. As long as life remains to me I am an advocate of your great remedy, and will ever speak in its favor. It is only on account of my daughter's wish that I do not allow my name to appear in public."

Northern Pacific Express Robbed.

MISSOULA, Mont., Nov. 20.—Two masked men entered a Northern Pacific express car near Mullen, Idaho, last night and made the messenger open the safe and give up $2000. The robbery of the Northern Pacific express car on the Missoula & Coeur d'Alene road last night occurred between Dorsey and Mullen, a wild part of the country. The safe was broken open and the two masked men secured a little over $2000 and escaped.

The San Francisco in Dock.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 21.—The dock at Mare Island has been prepared for the reception of the cruiser San Francisco, which returned from Chili Thursday. The vessel will go up there at 3 o'clock this afternoon to be cleaned.

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FIRST DAY OF DECEMBER

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CHAS. KENT,
Collector.
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MUNICIPAL.

ANY HOUSEHOLDERS desiring to register their votes for the Municipal Elections under the 34th clause of the Municipalities Act, Subsection E, can do so by filling up the necessary declaration papers, which will be furnished at the City Hall, and returning the same to the undersigned any time on or before the 1st day of December, 1891.

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Victoria, B.C., Oct. 31, 1891. oct31-td

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EMPRESS OF CHINA	Dec. 1	Dec. 16
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8:00 a.m.	Lv	M	..Tacoma...	117	Ar	5:15 a.m.
6:15 a.m.	Lv	24	..Seattle...	99	Lv	3:00 a.m.
1:30 p.m.	Lv	72	Pt. Townsend	33	Lv	11:45 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	Ar	117	..Victoria*..	M	Lv	8:30 p.m.

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6:45 p.m.	Lv	M	..†Tacoma...	121	Ar	4:30 p.m.
8:00 p.m.	Lv	24	..Seattle...	100	Lv	2:30 p.m.
3:15 a.m.	Lv	72	Pt. Townsend	52	Lv	11:30 a.m.
5:25 a.m.	Lv	105	..Anacortes..	35	Lv	9:15 a.m.
6:45 a.m.	Ar	121	..Fairhaven..	3	Lv	8:00 a.m.
6:10 a.m.	Ar	123	..Sehome...	1	Lv	7:30 a.m.
6:20 a.m.	Ar	124	"Whatcom"	M	Lv	6:00 a.m.

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Leave Victoria for Nanaimo.....Tuesday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Comox.....Wednesday, 7 a.m.
" Comox for Nanaimo.....Friday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Victoria.....Saturday 7 a.m.
For freight or passage apply on board. oct17

CANADIAN PACIFIC NAVIGATION CO.,
(LIMITED.)
TIME TABLE No. 15.
Taking effect Oct. 1, 1891.

Vancouver Route.
Victoria to Vancouver daily, except Monday, at 7 o'clock, a.m.
Vancouver to Victoria daily, except Monday, at 5 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route.
LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Latimer's Landing and Lulu Island, Sunday at 8 o'clock, Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C.P.R. train No. 1 going East Monday.)
For Pioneer Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.
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For Pioneer Pass Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Fraser River Route.
Steamers leave New Westminster for Chilliwack and Way Landings every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route.
Steamships of this Co. will leave for Port Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route.
Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound ports on the 20th of each month.

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ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.
TIME TABLE NO. 15.
To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Tuesday, October 20th, 1891.
Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING SOUTH. READ UP.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Mix. and Sun.	Miles from Wellington.	STATIONS.
	Ar.	Ar.		
	12.30 P M	5.00 P M		WELLINGTON
	12.35	5.05	5	Extension
	12.40	5.10	8	Cedar Hill
	12.50	5.20	13	Cobble Hill
	1.10	5.40	23	Shawnigan Lake
	1.20	5.50	27	Goldstream
	1.35	6.05	32	Malahat
	1.50	6.20	38	Shoreman
	2.05	6.35	43	Duncans
	2.20	6.50	49	Somenos
	2.30	7.00	53	Chemainus
	3.30 A M	8.00 A M	84	NANAIMO
	Lv.	Lv.		

GOING NORTH. READ DOWN.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Mix. and Sun.	Miles from Victoria.	STATIONS.
	Lv.	Lv.		
	8.00 A M	1.30 P M		VICTORIA
	8.05	1.35	3	Hillside
	8.14	1.44	7	Quadra St.
	8.24	1.54	11	Cedar Hill Cross Road
	8.27	1.57	12	Shady Creek
	8.31	2.01	14	Royal Oak
	8.37	2.07	17	Maple Bay
	8.42	2.12	19	Mill Bay
	8.47	2.17	22	Kissing Bridge
	8.52	2.22	25	Cowichan
	8.57	2.27	28	Duncans
	9.12	2.42	35	Westholme
	9.20	2.50	39	Chemainus
	9.35	3.05	46	Crofton
	10.12	3.42	61	Somenas
	10.17	3.47	63	Cassidy
	10.22	3.52	65	Nanaimo River
	10.40	4.10	70	Extension
	10.50	4.20	74	Gordon River
	11.00	4.30	78	Harewood
	11.15	4.45	82	Wellington
	11.25 A M	4.55 P M	84	NANAIMO
	Ar.	Ar.		

ON SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS
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A NEW NAME SUGGESTED FOR HAMILTON.

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The number of remarkable cures occurring in Hamilton is causing general comment throughout the country. To those who know the inside facts there is not the least cause for wonderment. The remarkable cure of Mr. John Marshall, who was known to almost every citizen in Hamilton, gave the Pink Pills an enormous sale in the city, one retail druggist alone selling 2,880 boxes in the past six months. People whose cases had been considered hopeless as was Mr. Marshall's, took hope from his cure, persisted in the use of the pills, with equally wonderful results in their case. And what is happening in Hamilton in the way of remarkable cures is happening in all parts of the Dominion, and every day adds to the pile of grateful testimonials which the proprietors of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are receiving. Last week the Hamilton Times investigated two more cases, the result of which is told in the following article in the issue of Nov. 7th:

The account of Mr. John Marshall's wonderful cure, after suffering for years with locomotor ataxy, naturally brought to light several other cases of almost equally miraculous cures in this city. Among the many citizens who prompted by Mr. Marshall's experience and who have been troubled for many years with the same affliction was Mr. Wm. Webster. For a long time he was in the flour and feed business in the Market Square, and for over ten years while in his office he was compelled to remain in a reclining position on a couch, covered with heavy buffalo robes winter and summer. It was with difficulty that he could make his way, even with the aid of crutches, to his residence, but a short distance from the store. He attributes his trouble to constant exposure at the open door of his store, carrying heavy bags of grain in and out, and when overheated and perspiring sitting over an open cellarway in order to cool off. About a year and a half ago he found it necessary to give up his business, owing to the fact that he was becoming utterly helpless from his terrible disease. In June last on hearing of Mr. Marshall's case, he began to take that well known remedy, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and has been greatly benefitted thereby.

Mr. Webster was seen by a Times reporter at his residence, Macnab street north, Saturday afternoon, and was not at all loath to speak about his case. "With the exception of this trouble with my legs," he said, "I have never been sick a day since I was 17 years old, and now I am 55. This locomotor ataxy is a terrible disease. For years my legs have seemed as though they belonged to someone else. As I have lain asleep on a winter night, one leg has fallen out of the bed and when I would awaken with the cold I would have too feel around with my hand before I could tell which leg was out of bed. If I were to try to place my foot on a spot on the carpet within easy reach I could no more do it than fly. The pains at times has been terrible. I have lain awake night after night, week after week, alternately grasping each foot in my agony as the sharp pains like knife-stabs shot through various parts of my anatomy. When I was first attacked with pains in my feet some 12 years ago I tried several physicians, but could get no relief. Paralysis then set in and I immediately consulted a well-known specialist in Buffalo, who told me that I was suffering from locomotor ataxy and could not get better. I came home again and on the advice of friends tried several hot springs, but with no effect, except, perhaps, to aggravate my complaint. I finally became discouraged and after two years doctoring, I underwent an operation. I was placed under chloroform, a gash two inches and a half in depth made in the side of each leg near the hip and the doctors put their fingers in the gash and stretched the sciatic nerves in the vain hope that such would give me relief. Since then, now over ten years ago, until June last, I took no medicine whatever, and retiring from business, became so helpless I could not walk a step without my crutches, and sometimes the pain was something awful. About June, however, I got some of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and after using the first box felt such beneficial effect from them that I continued to use them ever since with the result that the terrible pains that I used to suffer from have vanished, and with the exception of a gentle little dart at rare intervals, I might never know I had suffered with them. Since using the pills I get to sleep early and sleep as soundly and peacefully as a baby all night through. I can also walk a dozen steps or so without my crutches." And to illustrate, the old gentleman got up and walked across the room and back again to his seat alongside the reporter. "Now I couldn't do that at all before last June," continued he, and the pills are certainly the pleasantest medicine to take that I have ever tried. I would advise any one who is troubled with any affliction any way similar to mine, or who is suffering from any nervous disease, to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

THEY SELL RAPIDLY.

Mr. J. A. Barr, the well-known Hamilton druggist, says that the demand for Pink Pills is something astonishing. Last winter he purchased one dozen boxes. This was his first order. Since then he has sold 2,880 boxes of the pills, and every day the demand is increasing. He sells at least two dozen per day. The same story comes from other druggists in Hamilton.

The other day Mrs. Martin, of Ferguson avenue, Hamilton, Ont., called at Mr. John A. Barr's drug establishment and asked for a box of Pink Pills. She had a little girl with her in a perambulator, and while the mother was in the store the child climbed out over the side of the carriage. The mother laughed over the incident and remarked: "If it were not for Pink Pills my baby would never have been able to do that." To those in the drug store Mrs. Martin narrated the wonderful cure which had been effected by Pink Pills in the cure of her infant. When about a year old the baby became paralyzed, and the anxious parents consulted the best doctors in the city, but their treatment was of no avail. The little one was not able to move hand or foot, and for a time the case was considered a hopeless one. Seeing an advertisement in the Hamilton Times of the wonderful cures being effected by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, Mrs. Martin procured a box and before the youngester had taken all it contained, a marked improvement in her condition was noticed. The paralysis disappeared and the little one's appetite returned. The parents' hearts were delighted with the result. It was while buying the second box that the child scrambled out of the carriage on to the sidewalk. The mother told Mr. Barr that the paralysis had resulted from teething. A representative of the Times who investigated the case discovered that the little girl is now walking around in the best of health.

The propietors of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills state that they are not a patent medicine but a scientific preparation used successfully for many years in the private practice of a physician of high standing. They are given to the public as an unfailing blood builder and nerve restorer, curing all forms of weakness arising from a watery condition of the blood or shattered nerves, two fruitful causes of almost every ill that flesh is heir to. These pills are also a specific for the troubles peculiar to females, such as suppressions, all forms of weakness, chronic constipation, bearing down pains, etc., and in the case of men will give speedy relief and effect a permanent cure in all cases arising from mental worry, overwork, or excesses of whatever nature. The pills are sold by all dealers, or will be sent post paid on receipt of price, (50 cents a box—they are never sold in bulk or by the 100) by addressing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., or Morristown, N. Y.

The Vancouver "Ex-Leper."

Dr. Carroll has now got one of his patients in the C.P.R. shack off his hands. Yesterday afternoon he purchased a nice new sponge, a good hard brush, made a delightful antiseptic mixture, which was put into a tub, when the Chinaman who was thought to have leprosy but who hasn't it, was given a real good bath, from which he emerged looking as clean as the little baby in Pears' soap advertisement—"He won't be happy till he gets it." He was then togged out in a complete suit of warm clothes, procured from a merchant on Dupont street, and sent on his way rejoicing, free to go where he liked, but whether the poor man will reach China via the C.P.R. is very doubtful.—World.

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The Daily Times.

MR. ROBSON AND THE MAGISTRATES.

Mr. Robson, who, from the resemblance of some of his methods to those of the deceased dictator, may be called the Balmaceda of British Columbia, having worried the schoolmasters, now attacks the magistracy. It is difficult to understand how any one in Mr. Robson's position can have supposed for a moment that the magistrates are at the beck and call of the Executive, or can be dismissed from office like ordinary administrative officials. Yet this is what appears from the letter written by Mr. Sproat, which is published in another column. This gentlemen while performing useful functions in his district, strictly according to his commission and to the law, and, as he clearly shows, to established practice, finds himself attacked in a published letter from Mr. Robson written, apparently, in ignorance of the subject matter, and in the worst possible taste, to an anonymous correspondent. There cannot be a more useful functionary in any of our districts than an experienced magistrate. He costs the country nothing, and may save much public expenditure by the judicious exercise of his summary jurisdiction, and the care bestowed on cases which it is necessary to send to a higher court for trial. It is to our magistrates more than to our politicians, that the Province owes its high repute on the other side of the line. Mr. Sproat is able to say that in 31 years no decision of his has been quashed. In Mr. Robson's sphere of action, public opinion quashes promptly more than half of what he does. It will not support him in his present crusade against the law.

THE CONNOLLY BOOKS.

A dispatch from Quebec states that Cluny, in whose custody the Connolly firm's books were placed by the court at Quebec, has temporarily taken up his residence at Plattsburg, N. Y., having the books still in his possession. The object of his flight is of course to keep the documents out of reach of the Ottawa police court, where the case against the Connollys, Larkin and McGreevy is proceeding. There is something fishy about the story of the disappearance of these books. It will be remembered that they were taken from Ottawa to Quebec to be used in the trial of Robert McGreevy and Owen E. Murphy for conspiracy to defraud Michael Connolly. There the Connollys managed to secure them by forcibly taking them from the agent of the Dominion Government who was at the Quebec station ready to embark on the train for Ottawa. It was very freely hinted that the Connollys got a quiet "tip" to capture the books in this way, and that the alleged efforts of the Government's representative to retain possession were not quite *bona fide*. The next chapter in the story is the decision of Judge Caron ordering that Mr. Cluny act as guardian of the precious books and that he should produce them when they were wanted at the trial of the case against the Connollys at Ottawa. He has obeyed this order by skipping across the boundary line. The circumstances would seem to justify the suspicion that the Government is no more anxious than the Connollys for the presence of Mr. Cluny and the books, and that the whole prosecution of the boodlers is nothing more than a farce. The Government does not intend any serious punishment of the gang; that might result in something awkward for itself.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

There is a great crop of libel suits arising out of the Whelan charges against the Mercier Government. In addition to the criminal libel proceedings instituted by Mercier, Mayor McShane, of Montreal, has entered an action of $50,000 against the Empire, and other suits are threatened.

It is now reported from Ottawa that Mr. Perley has been dismissed from his position of chief engineer of the Public Works Department. While it is impossible to acquit the disgraced official of wrong doing, a good many people will feel that he has been much more harshly dealt with in proportion to his offences than several other people at Ottawa.

Mr. Chapleau was told in a friendly way by the Toronto Empire and the Montreal Gazette that he would do well to stick to the office of Secretary of State until he had put the Printing Bureau through the renovating process which last session's disclosures showed to be necessary. He is apparently undertaking this work in his own peculiar way by endeavoring to punish the employee in the Bureau through whose instrumentality the revelations were brought about.

The Vancouver World seems to be quite agitated over the fact that Mr. P. Hebler, the directory man, is securing a correct count of the population of the cities of the Province. Perhaps Mr. Hebler cannot be induced to stretch Vancouver's returns sufficiently. The World also seems afraid that the Province will "make a raid" on the Dominion treasury on the strength of the increased number of its population. It is a good thing for the Province that the World is at hand to keep it honest.

The Liberals are taking their turn in ventilating the interference of railways in the last Dominion elections. One of the charges set forth in the petition against the return of Mr. Ingram, the Conservative M. P., for East Elgin, is that there was an engagement between the Government and the Canadian Pacific Railway whereby in consideration of certain promises made by the former, the Company were to induce and compel the officers, employees, and servants of the Company to vote or refrain from voting against the respondent.

ENTRANCE EXAMINATIONS.

TO THE EDITOR:—Is it not strange that the Education Department persistently slights our city? A notice dated Nov. 14th has appeared in the papers of the other three cities, notifying the public school pupils of those cities and those of the adjoining districts to prepare for the entrance examination to the High school, which examination is to be held on Dec. 1st next. You may remember that each half year our city is slighted until public attention is called to the fact.

WATCHMAN.

Nov. 21st, 1891.

THE SCHOOL BOARD.

TO THE EDITOR:—The editor of the Colonist appears to be very wise this morning, but if he had been at the council meeting on Thursday night, he would have seen that the majority of the aldermen agreed with the position held by the three "recalcitrant" trustees. And if Mr. Hayward saw his position clearly, as laid down by the majority of the aldermen, his resignation would have been placed in the hands of the council the very next morning.

PARENT.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World Here and Elsewhere.

THE RING.

THE BULLY PROPERLY TREATED.

A change hev swept over de face of dis eart,
In Australyer it snowed quite promiskers;
An' now I'm come back ter de land o' me birt'
And de wind's goin' puff tro' me whiskers.
[San Francisco Examiner.

John L. Sullivan has whiskers.

It is as true as gospel. Whiskers, Sullivan, Duncan B. Harrison and all arrived on the steamer Alemeda.

On the register of the Baldwin his name stands clear as day and clearer—John L. Sullivan and wife, of Boston. No mention is made of the whiskers, but they are with him just the same—part and parcel of the party.

Whiskers!

Why, whiskers as an expression does not come near defining those gray-streaked mutton chop-lets, says the New York Recorder.

They blend, they clasp together; they stretch down in rippling surges from the temple, caress the iron jaw and kiss the jowl, then with a sharp curve upward touch the lips, bridge them with a dark mustache—a stubby one, but serviceable.

John L. Sullivan is looking well—never better.

John L. Sullivan is airing views—Australian views.

Of all the views John L. Sullivan ever aired, these last ones sweep the earth for their intensity.

"The Australians," said he, "are the ——," and John launched forth into a string of condemnatory vituperativeness that would have knocked any less remote island off the face of creation as he spoke.

"You may print all that and say I said it, for of the loafers on this earth the Australians take the bun."

John Barnitt nodded approval of the champion's words. "That goes," said he; "John's right about the Australians!"

Nothing could be plainer, nothing more palpable, than the fact that the world's greatest slugger felt overcrowded and out of place on this earth as long as Australia existed.

His great hand sank with a flop on the marble desk as he accentuated his remarks with a thump that made the building quiver. At the mention of the antipodal continent one could almost see the nap of the champion's silk hat stand up and bristle with indignation.

"They set about boycotting me before I reached there," he exclaimed. "The papers began it; the people took it up, and from the beginning I saw that the McMahons, who had undertaken to manage our company there, were a lot of liars. Why, they had brought letters and things representing themselves as worth barrels and barrels of dust, but when we got there we found the chaps hadn't got a spare pair of pants between 'em. They bilked everybody and didn't pay the rest.

"Then the audiences. Well, some of them used us right enough, but they all seem to hate Americans and American plays and institutions. Why, the 'County Fair' is living over there on its trunks. 'Evangeline' can't change its shirt for want of credit at the laundry, and—but its the same with everything American in the place.

"They used to pack the front rows of the theatres with toughs and have 'em shouting all the time and calling us 'American swine.'

"One night they made me tired with their shouting, and I turns and says: 'Come up here, you loafers, and I'll put tails on you.'

"They did not feel like coming up, but the next day the papers had columns of it."

John L. was so patently glad to get back in America again—to be anywhere on this green earth, or out of it, away from Australia, that it was obviously superfluous to ask him how he liked coming back.

Nevertheless, he spontaneously volunteered the information that he was glad, profanely glad, to be back in the States again and feel beneath his solid feet the free soil of America.

"And what about your rumored coming fight with Slavin?"

Now, it was currently reported by officers and passengers on the Alameda that Sullivan had freely sworn to get even with the colonies by, as he put it, "slugging the head off their champion." Therefore the question seemed pertinent, but John did not seem to regard it so.

"I have nothing to say about that," said he, "and I'm not going to be interviewed about it; and if any paper here says I've promised its reporter that I'm going to fight it lies."

Still, the whiskered champion did not deny the drift of his farewell speech at the Melbourne Athletic Club, whereat he stated that the largest purse ever offered for a fight would be put up in America when he contracted to meet Slavin, and he then said that the odds in favor of such a meeting taking place were heavy.

As a matter of fact it would seem that he does not desire to speak on the subject until he has seen his backers in the East, and therefore, though he means to fight, prefers to remain silent for the present.

HE WILL WRITE A LETTER.

"My engagement with Duncan Harrison does not conclude until June next," said he, "but before that I shall have made up my mind and written a letter to the New York newspapers on what I mean to do. It's no good asking me now, for I don't mean to answer, and I'm not going to be interviewed about fighting Slavin, or any one else for that matter."

He pensively twirled his cigar in his mouth as he spoke and again consigned Australia to eternal torment and characterized its inhabitants as a "—— set of bums."

In fact every invective known to the American and Bostonian vocabularies John L. Sullivan hurled against the absent continent, its population, its theatrical methods and everything pertaining thereto. He had no use for any of them and made no secret of that circumstance. In his own words the mere thought of the place made him tired.

"They said that we had to send over here for cash to get back on," said he, "but we did't. Even if we did send over it would have only proved that we did have friends in the States willing to put up the 'stuff' to get us back again, and that is more than many a poor sucker of an American can say when he's simply starving to death on the other side of the Pacific."

WRESTLING.

WHERE IS FITZSIMMONS?

"I notice that D. S. McLeod, of Nanaimo, sends a challenge to Fizsimmons to wrestle him at that place for $1000, and allow Bob $100 for expenses up the coast. He declares that he will forfeit $1000 or take five falls out of Fitz, catch-as-catch-can, within sixty minutes. Rather a big bluff. Who is McLeod, anyway? The name has a sort of Highland kilt flavor to it, and the bow-legged race is known to be not only dead game but unpleasantly muscular."

The above item appears in the sporting column in the Seattle Press-Times. Who is the sporting (?) editor of the Press-Times? He must be well posted, seeing that he does not know who Dan McLeod is. For his edification it might be said that Dan has met the best men on the continent and defeated most of them. To show that he is no bluffer, as the sporting (?) editor of the Press-Times insinuates, Dan has put up a deposit of $200 at the Victoria TIMES office which he asks Fitzsimmons to cover and he will wrestle him for anything from $1000 to $2500 aside, McLeod to take five falls out of Fitzsimmons, catch-as-catch can, in one hour. Dan's previous actions go to show that he is no bluffer and the $200 he has deposited keeps up his reputation. Bring your man out, Press-Times, Dan is waiting for him.

FOOTBALL.

The Montreal football club gave as a reason for breaking their agreement to play the Osgoode Hall club, of Toronto, in Montreal last Saturday the fact that a number of their best players could not take part in the match and rather than face certain defeat they decided to forfeit.

LACROSSE.

A committee of the lacrosse club visited the Driving Park this afternoon with a view to seeing what improvements are necessary to lay it out as a lacrosse ground. The committee will report to the semi-annual meeting to be held Monday evening at Hall & Lowe's.

Fatally Injured.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 20.—William S. Emery, night clerk of the Western Union telegraph office of this city, was thrown last night from an unmanageable horse against the pole of a wagon with which his horse collided, and so severely injured that he died this morning.

Ask your grocer for Okell & Morris' jams.

PASSENGERS.

Per steamer Victorian, from Puget Sound.—J Brown, J W Cunningham and wife, O Oliver, J B Martin, J S Spencer, Geo Purdue, F G Gamble, H Smith, B Sampson, J H Scribner, R F Stephens and wife, W E Burwick, G H Burns, G Butler, R R Offer, J S Burthohemel, Mr Joshlyn, W Stevens, Geo Bule and wife.

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Free Lunch.

Don't forget the free lunch at the Bee Hive to-night.

Carpets.

Largest stock of carpets in the city at Spencer's Arcade. Estimates given.

First of the Season.

Just arrived by express from the east a consignment of fresh finnan haddies. B. Gordon.

Cash Will Buy

18 pounds of sugar for $1; Christmas hams at 17cts per pound; fresh eastern eggs at 25cts per doz., at Wm. Eckert's, 106 Yates street.

Made Quick Time.

The steamer Victorian, which did not leave here until 11:30 yesterday, left Tacoma on time last night and arrived here as usual. She made up for lost time going down the Sound.

She Is A Flyer.

The Nova Scotian bark Athlone, which arrived from South America a few days ago, is a fast sailer, having been just 101 days at sea since leaving Rotterdam. She took a cargo from the latter place to Callao.

Naval Reserve.

Notice has been given by the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works that lots 538 and 114, group one, New Westminster district, are reserved and set apart for the use of the Imperial Government for naval purposes.

New Chair Cars.

The Union Pacific is the only transcontinental line running free reclining chair cars from the Pacific coast to the east. For particulars, etc., call on or address C. G. Rawlings, General agent, 100 Government street. tf

Wood-Purdie.

At the residence of the officiating minister, the Rev. D. McRae, assisted by the Rev. R. Anderson, Mr. James Wood and Miss Jessie Purdie were united in marriage last evening. Mr. and Mrs. Wood will make Spring Ridge their home.

Is Not a Leper.

One of the alleged Chinese lepers has been liberated. During the past week he has been examined by Dr. Bell-Irving and Dr. Thomas on behalf of the city of Vancouver, and they came to the conclusion that he was not afflicted with that terrible disease.

New Goods.

Ooloahans, Yarmouth bloaters, Clover Leaf brand lobsters, Bowlby Bros'. tomatoes, corn, pease and peaches, Spanish onions, pea flour (Glasgow,) new Valencia raisins, currants, layer raisins, shelled almonds and Dr. Price's extracts. 33 Fort street, Red Front Store.

The New Proprietor.

Fred Weldon, the new proprietor of the Senate saloon, will formally take charge of the premises this evening, when he will receive his friends, for whom he has a small banquet prepared. Steve O'Brien, the former proprietor of the Senate, will devote all his time to his new saloon, the Grotto. His place at his old stand will be well filled by Mr. Weldon, who has a host of friends in the city and province.

Electric Wire Inspector.

The need of an electric wire inspector is impressed on the insurance and civic authorities, and a move will no doubt soon be made to appoint some competent person who will supervise the stringing of wires and overlook the way they are put into buildings, so that the risk of loss of property by fire or damage to persons by accidents may be avoided as much as possible. In nearly every large city an electric wire inspector is found; and as Victoria becomes more metropolitan, so does the need of such inspection increase.

The City Lights.

For several weeks an absence of kicks about the city electric lights has been noticeable. The bright radience of these nocturnal illuminators having been given forth in quantities to suit the need of the public regardless of the almanac. Several very commendable allusions to the excellence of the service have been heard, and as in the past kicks were often chronicled, it is only fair to give praise when it is deserved by good work. Although the plant is totally unsuited for the work it has to do, the results have of late been first class.

A Plucky Girl.

When the man Keene made his mad rush for liberty the other day, there was one person who made a plucky attempt to stop him in the early part of his career. It was Miss Haslam, the chief waitress at the New York. Keene was flying down stairs at express speed when she threw herself in front of him. He made a cowardly blow at her face, missed it, but struck her on the breast, smashing her brooch in a dozen pieces. The blow staggered her and the fellow got away, but the fact did not in the least make her attempt to stop him any the less plucky.

Not the Proper Court.

Forsyth and Morris, the two young felons who were arrested yesterday on a charge of obtaining goods under false pretenses, were brought before the police magistrate this morning, when the facts of the case were heard. It transpired that the accused had purchased certain articles, promising to pay for them when they (the accused) received their wages. They were leaving town yesterday when prosecutor had them arrested. The magistrate held that this was not a case of obtaining goods under false pretenses; it was simply a bad bargain, and prosecutor had other means of recovering his money. Prisoners were discharged, but were told to settle with the prosecutor.

Won't Accept It.

The newly appointed police magistrate at Vancouver, Mr. A. Williams, has declined the position "on the terms offered." The terms are that neither he nor his partner may accept any case against the city nor any coming up in the police court. He must be at the City Hall from 10 to about 12 o'clock and from 3 to 4 o'clock, practically all the day, and must assist the city solicitor in the preparation of by-laws, and all for the salary of $125 per month, while the city solicitor now gets $1000 per annum for his advice, and is paid extra for all cases which go into court and for any other business outside their regular routine.

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Auction Sale of Furs.

Do not forget the sale of furs at auction on Wednesday 25th inst., at 57 Johnson street. Sale takes place at 2 p.m. 4t

New Steamer.

The new and palatial steamer Victorian leaves Victoria daily except Saturday for Port Townsend, Seattle and Tacoma at 7:30 a.m.

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Is the only line running two fast trains daily from Portland to Omaha, St. Paul, Kansas City, Chicago, St. Louis, and all points east and south. Ticket office, 100 Government street. C. G. Rawlings, general agent. tf

Moorings Laid.

The steamer Mascotte has finished laying the permanent moorings for the flagship at Esquimalt. The work was done under the superintendence of Staff Commander Thompson of H. M. S. Champion, and Mr. Willoughby of the naval yard. The men from H. M. S. Nymphe assisted in the work.

Have You a Boy?

A golden opportunity is now offered to those having boys between the age of seven and twelve years. As an exceptionally fine range of boys sample suits in Scotch, English and Canadian tweeds, and from the fact that they are samples are particularly well made and neatly finished. One hundred suits to select from, ranging from $3 to $6.50, and are marked within a very small margin of the manufacturer's price. Samuel Reid, 122 Government street, between Yates and Johnson streets.

A Street Story.

It is reported that an Oak Bay avenue residence was the scene of a shooting match the other night. It was not a case of jealousy or revenge, but the master of the house was awakened by the stealthy movements of a burglar, and a snap shot at the intruder was taken. It is believed that the prowler was struck by the bullet, as spots of blood were found, but no trace of the man has since been seen. The police discredit the report, as no such matter has come under their notice, and believe the story is one evolved from a highly imaginative brain, disturbed by nightmare. However, the street story is of a burglar shot, whether true or otherwise desonent sayeth not.

The Steamer Burt.

Ald. F. G. Richards of this city, who was referred to in the Seattle Telegraph as one of the owners of the alleged smuggling steamer Burt, has a letter in the Telegraph of yesterday denying that his boat has ever been engaged in the traffic. An affidavit made by Capt. Carroll, and referred to in yesterday's TIMES, also appears in the Telegraph. When Inspector Mulkey was interviewed on the matter he said "It's a base lie, every word of it. I denounce the story in toto as an unmitigated falsehood. Yes, I know the captain and have talked to him, but I never said anything that could by any twisting be construed to mean what he charges. The story is from first to last absolutely and entirely false.'

Home From Europe.

Hon. C. E. Pooley, Q.C., President of the Executive Council, returned from Europe last evening, after an absence extending over several months. His mission, in which he was accompanied by Mr. D. R. Harris, was to dispose of the Wellington collieries to European capitalists, but as certain necessary formalities have still to be complied with, the final result cannot be made known till after the arrival of Mr. Harris, who is expected back within the next ten days. Mr. Pooley has no news of importance to report, beyond the fact that he found British Columbia in high credit in London, where the people are generally well informed about her and her resources. Very rough weather was experienced on the return trip.

The Sealing Question.

As yet no sign has been made as to the ultimate settlement of the Behring Sea question, and owners of sealing vessels are becoming anxious as to what is to be the result of the deliberations of those who have the settlement of the matter. A prominent sealer to-day said that he believed that nothing of a definite character would be settled until after the United States presidential elections. He considered that political capital was being made of the situations, and that Blaine would make the question a stepping-stone toward a higher position for himself. Just how this is cannot safely be said, but it is certain that Sir Baden-Powell and Dr. Dawson are still at Ottawa preparing their report, and there is sure to be nothing definite done until that report reaches the heads who have the ravelling of the tangle.

British Columbia Birds.

Mr. John Fannin, curator of the Provincial museum, has issued a "check list of British Columbia birds." The fact of Mr. Fannin's name being attached to it is a recommendation of itself. The descriptions of the feathered inhabitants are very pithy, and in several instances witty, as the following anent the eagle will show: Bald Eagle. (Haliæetus leucocephalus). The Province at large. A resident. The most abundant bird of prey we have, especially along the coast, where at the mouths of some of the rivers and inlets they congregate in great numbers. Breeds throughout its range. Nest, a bulky affair, usually on the broken top of some lofty pine, though I saw one at Howe Sound not over twelve feet from the ground. This bird is the emblem of the great republic south of us; but whatever virtues it may possess in the "land of the free" to keep it in this exalted position, it certainly falls from grace when north of the forty-ninth parallel. Here it is a buzzard of the lowest type, stooping to the foulest kind of carrion.

Rheumatism is like sand in the bearings of machinery. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the great lubricator which cures the disease.

CROSSLEY AND HUNTER.

The Noted Evangelists Are Here and Will Commence Their Campaign on Sunday.

Messrs. Crossley and Hunter, the noted evangelists, will commence a series of revival meetings in Victoria next week, the first to be held to-morrow. This is not their first visit to the coast; they were here some 12 months ago, and their work was eminently successful. Both are earnest workers in the field of labor which they have chosen, and in which they have borne the burden and heat, of the day since 1884. During the time intervening they have visited nearly every city and town in the Dominion, and several places in the States, and all through their career has success shone on their efforts.

One of the evangelists will preach tomorrow morning in Pandora Avenue Methodist church, and the other in Calvary Baptist church, Herald street.

In the afternoon they will both address mass meetings in the First Presbyterian church, Pandora avenue, at 4 o'clock. The time and place of the evening services will be announced in the meeting.

The committee are requested to meet Rev. J. E. Hunter this evening at 8 o'clock in the Epworth League room of the Pandora Avenue Methodist church, and the choir to meet Rev. T. H. Crossley at the same time in the school room of the same church. All members of church choirs are heartily invited to assist.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Services in the Different Churches To-Morrow Morning and Evening.

Christadelphian Hall, 209 Douglas street. Sunday service at 11 a.m., for the Breaking of Bread; 7 p.m., reading. Subject, "The Hope of Israel, or the Restoration of the Jews a part of the Divine scheme and an element of the Gospel." All are welcome.

Church of our Lord, Reformed Episcopal. Morning service at 11, preacher, the Bishop; subject, "The Necessity of a New Law in the Spiritual World." Evening service at 7, preacher, Rev. C. E. Dobbs. Bible class for young men at 10 a.m. Sunday school and young ladies' Bible class at 2:45 p.m. Bible reading every Friday in the schoolroom at 3:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND NOTES.

The following are the preachers in the city churches to-morrow:

Christ Church Cathedral—Morning, the Lord Bishop; evening, the Ven. Archdeacon Scriven.

St. James Church—Morning, the Ven. Archdeacon Scriven. Evening, Rev. E. T. Lipscome.

St. John's—Morning and evening, the Rev. Percival Jenns.

St. Barnabas—Morning and evening, the Rev. Geo. W. Taylor.

St. Saviour's—Morning and evening, Rev. W. D. Barber.

CITY DISTRICT SERVICES.

St. Luke's, Cedar Hill—Morning and evening, Rev. M. C. Browne.

St. Paul's, Esquimalt—Morning and evening, the Rev. S. C. Scholefield.

St. Michael's, Lake—Afternoon, Rev. M. C. Browne.

Tolmie—Morning, at 11, Mr. W. H. P. Arden.

Cadboro Bay—Evening, at 7.30, Mr. W. H. P. Arden.

Indian Reserve—Afternoon, at 3:30.

Provincial Jail—Morning, at 9:30, Mr. W. H. P. Arden.

Jubilee Hospital—Afternoon at 2 p.m., the Rev. Geo. W. Taylor.

A High Bird.

A gentleman of this city bought a grouse at a well-known restaurant last night, but on taking the same home it was found that the bird had been killed about seven weeks too long. In other words, it needed burial, and from it a very decided smell arose. The purchaser took it back to the seller, and requested that his money be returned, but the seller objected to this, and hot words arose on the morning air. Nearly a fight resulted, the grouse seller arming himself with a cleaver, the purchaser used discretion and retreated, as he did not propose to become a corpse, even if its antiquity did not equal that of the bird. It is whispered that more of this grouse sale will be heard later on

Schooner Drifts Ashore.

A special dispatch to the TIMES from Otter Point this afternoon, says that a small schooner had gone ashore between that point and Sherringham point. She is named the Galatea, with fishing tackle and dory on board. No one is on her she being deserted. There are papers on board from Astoria addressed to Capt. Nyholm, also letters written in Danish and a photo, but no ship papers. Any one having a claim on the vessel can apply to James French at Otter Point.

Victoria Home Journal.

The Victoria Home Journal, as it came out this morning, is a great improvement on the first number issued six weeks ago, which means that it is going to be a big success. There are sixteen pages of it full of social, political, literary, municipal and dramatic news.

The Wrecked Bark.

Capt. S. W. Buckman, who came up from the west coast this morning, says that the wreck of the bark Sarah is all under water but the poop, and it looks as though she had broken in two. Her masts are all by the board, and if a westerly gale comes on nothing of her will be left in 12 hours.

The Umatilla's List.

Passengers per Umatilla from San Francisco for Victoria. M. Seligman, L. Fray, wife and seven children, S. Gray, R. Richardson, C. Williams, P. Martel, C. A. Boyd, T. Mitchell, T. L. Barton and wife, Mrs. W. Kent, J. G. Magnus.

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VICTORIA FALL ASSIZES.

The Largest Docket Ever Presented in Victoria—Several Serious Cases to be Tried

The list of offenders to be presented to the Assize Court which opens on Monday morning is the largest ever brought up in Victoria. There is nothing so serious as the crime of murder, or even attempted murder to be tried, but there are on the list several very grave charges. It is likely that Hon. Mr. Justice Crease will preside. Following is the list of cases:

Reg. v. Harker—Rape.
Reg. v. Wilson and Lee—Sodomy.
Reg. v. Fox—Assault.
Reg. v. Morris and Carmichael—Assault.
Reg. v. Ross—Larceny.
Reg. v. Beckman—Larceny.
Reg. v. Sako—Larceny.
Reg. v. Robinson—Cattle stealing.
Reg. v. Capt. Bill (Indian)—Assaulting a constable.
Reg. v. Burke—Assault with intent to rob.
Reg. v. Clary—Robbery.
Reg. v. Haydon—Abduction.
Reg. v. Musgrave—Arson.
Reg. v. Bennett—Forgery.
Reg. v. Frieds (2)—Abduction.
Reg. v. Davis—Larceny.
Reg. v. Day—Receiving stolen goods.
Reg. v. Morgan—Larceny.
Reg. v. Robins—Burglary.
Reg. v. Bouton—Larceny.
Reg. v. Gray—Perjury.
Reg. v. Keene—Attempted Rape.

Following is the Grand Jury: George Walker, John Coughlan, F. Elworthy, W. Croft, P. R. Brown, W. Munsie, J. J. Austin, L. B. Trimmins, T. B. Hall, D. R. Ker, G. C. Mesher, J. P. Mathews, P. Hickey, G. H. Brown, W. J. Anderson, W. F. Bullen, Geo. Berridge, W. J. Armstrong, L. G. Dumbleton, J. P. Burgess, J. F. Fell, F. Carne, E. Jewell, W. H. T. Drake, D. W. Morrow.

TEXADA ISLAND.

Expert Examination Shows the Existence of Much Mineral Wealth.

The Minerva Mining Company have lately engaged workmen, and commenced to sink a shaft on the lode, which was discovered during the past summer by the company's prospecting. The company intend to work the ledge all winter if possible. The shaft is now down about 10 feet. The company will open up the shaft to nine feet in length and carry it down the width of the lode, which at present is about 3 feet 6 inches to 3 feet 9 inches. The shaft will be heavily timbered and ladders built in on one side to facilitate ascending and decending the shaft, not only while sinking but for permanent use. The assays already to hand are considered highly satisfactory by the company, and should the ore improve as they descend, the property will prove a bonanza to the owners. The ledge of the "Minerva" has been traced upon the surface for a distance of near 8000 feet. The trend thereof is southeast and northwest and it follows the divide between the limestone and porphysy formations that exist in close proximity. There is also a vein of ore cropping out parallel to the present working vein, which is aurifgrous ore, but the extent of same has not been prospected. The present work will test the permanency of the ledges on Texada Island and thereby decide in all probability the correctness of the opinions given by so many mineralogists who have visited the mineral bearing portions of Texada, amongst whom are Professor Dawson of the Canadian Geological Survey of Canada, Professor Parkinson of Australia, and Professor Bredemeyer of British Columbia, some of whom are prepared to stake their professional reputations upon the future of Taxada's mineral resources. Assays of surface ores have been made varying from 8 per cent. to 40 per cent. in copper, from 1 oz. to 100 ozs. in silver and from $2 to $300 per ton in gold. There are also lead, antimony, zinc, molybdenum and ochres found in places. Iron ore of 60 per cent. in all but extensive beds. Texada's limestone, marble, syenites, porphyry, etc., all combine to ensure it a most remarkable future, and the day may not be far distant when the thud, thud, of pounderous stamps and the beacon lights of her smelters cast their weird glare over the gulf.

Masquerade Ball.

There was a big crowd at the masquerade ball held by Milton Lodge Sons of St. George at Assembly hall last evening. The costumes were varied, grotesque and pretty and the hall was handsomely decorated. The two prizes were won by Miss E. Whitlock as a Turkish lady and Mr. W. Lumley as an Italian organ grinder. The prizes were distributed by Mayor Grant.

Sam Greer's Friends.

A public meeting will be held this evening at Vancouver for the purpose of discussing the case of Mr. Sam Greer, to take steps to raise funds to have the case appealed and get him a fair trial, and also to assist Mrs. Greer, who is now left with a family of small children in very straitened circumstances.

Sam Greer has offered a retainer to Mr. S. P. Mills to take charge of his case on appeal. It is understood, however, that the retainer will not be accepted till certain conditions have been complied with.

World's Wheat Crop.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—The world's wheat crop is estimated at 16,000,000 bushels more than last year. Rye is 224,000,000 bushels less.

MUSIC AND THE DRAMA.

NIP AND TUCK.

This lively and comical comedy-drama will be presented at the Victoria Theatre Monday evening. The play has achieved great success in the East, and is well spoken of by the press. Messrs. Morris and Williams, the comedians and principal actors, are known as laugh-makers, and to those who enjoy a play on the lines of "Nip and Tuck," no doubt a treat will be given. The play is one in which the action is fast, the changes being many and rapid.

BRIEF LOCALS.

One Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

Westminster wants a crematory.

Carpenter's tools sold cheap at 45 Johnson street.

Artistic linen and silk lamp shades at Weiler Bros, 51 to 55 Fort street.

Incoming steamers continue to bring heavy freight.

People say the Dominion Hotel is the place for a 25 cent meal. Twenty-one meal tickets for $4.50.

Workmen are straightening out Pandora street where the car track runs.

Get prices from Victoria Lithograph Company for lithograph work before placing your orders.

A wire nail factory is to be started up at Port Townsend in the near future.

Cambridge sausages, beef sausages, pork pies, boiled corn beef and ham, at Whitelaw & Co.'s, 125 Fort street.

The Salvation Army is storming the strongholds of sin in New Westminster.

Try the "Best M. & M. Warranted" Razors. Guaranteed perfect. Sold only by McLennan & McFeely.

A little three-year-old child of Mrs. Horrobin of Vancouver has been killed by the street cars.

When suffering from toothache try Gibbons' Toothache gum. Sold by all druggists.

The Brunette Mills have begun running on the eight-hour day and will so continue for the remainder of the season.

Business College! Business College! Business College! 45 Government street. Ladies and gentlemen taught privately: Writing, book-keeping, shorthand, etc.

A deckhand on the steamer Maude had one of his fingers badly crushed yesterday by a case of salmon falling on it.

A very cheap line of men and boys' suits, and the best dollar's worth of socks in the city at Macaulay & Higginbottm's, 74 Yates street.

Another office is to be started on the Cape Beale telegraph line at Mr. Straight's store, six miles past Carmanah lighthouse.

If you want a cheap suit of underclothing, Lion Clothing Store, 74 Yates street.

Complaints are made of furious driving over the bridge on the Gorge Road just at the city limits. Residents state that sleep is impossible by reason of the racket.

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The government grounds are rapidly becoming dotted with little buildings. The general impression is that it would pay as well as look better to erect a creditable governmental building capable of accomodating all the departments.

W. E. Bergman, medical electrician, has removed to more commodious premises, 76 Yates street, (upstairs, Moody's block,) where he has established electric baths, medicated baths, steam and vapor baths, and is able to treat his patients with massage and all kinds of electric, galvanic and magnetic appliances. The electric bath tubs are composed of soap stone, and the medicated bath tubs of porcelain, so as never to be infectious. References of patients already treated and benefitted in Victoria, will be cheerfully given. Terms moderate; consultation free. Hours: from 9 a.m. to 12 noon, from 2 to 6 p.m. and from 7 to 9 p.m. Sundays, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. 76 Yates street, one door below Broad.

Victoria Copying House.

Mr. G. W. Biggar, who recently started the Victoria Copying House, an establishment for enlarging photographs, etc., has engaged Johann Nelken, a graduate of the Berlin Art Academy. Mr. Biggar has had long experience in the business and he has employed a good artist to do his work.

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5 Lots, Esquimalt road, opposite Mr. Pooley's, each (One-third cash, balance in 18 months)	325
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CRICK, England, Nov. 2.—Here in this little ancient English village, six miles of sunny way from the noble school town of Rugby, lives one of the most noted, and certainly one of the worthiest, men of England. I am his friend and guest.

It is an humble abode, three three-century-old cabins merged into one, with gabled roof, huge fireplaces, low ceilings, tiny paned windows, and all manner of mysterious cubby holes, nooks and passages, and with three of the sweetest women in England, mother and two lovely maidens, to give the qualnt old place unceasing light and joy.

It is not the first time I have been here at Crick. It is my only home spot in a foreign land. When tired of wandering up and down the face of Britain here is where I come for rest. There are both rest and delight in old, old Crick; rest, because it is one of the few English villages which stands just as it always stood; where the roar of the workaday world's activities never comes; where the old parish church, the graveyard, the decayed manor houses, the huge stone dovecotes which house 500 families of doves, the thatched farm laborers' cottages, the ivies and mossy walls, and the simple village folk all invite to repose; and of delight because, with my host and friend, George Smith of Coalville, sage, philosopher and philanthropist, we wander among English lanes, find old paths over English fields, hunt out English antiquities, visit English battle grounds, talk of and visit the gipsies and all the other lowly we both know and love, and altogether lead a life, for the few days we are happily together, unmixed with envy, untainted by ambition and idyllic in the loftiest friendship and humblest content.

All good men and women who believe in the bettering of the world through the saving of its man forsaken and almost God forsaken children, should know something of this man, George Smith of Coalville, as he is everywhere in England called. No other Englishman, perhaps no other man, ever accomplished so much for helpless children. He was born to a brickworker's life in 1831. His father before him was a brickworker. The boy grew up in the misery and drudgery of the English brickyards. While still a lad of seven years his labor, like thousands of other brickyard children, was to continually carry forty pounds of clay on his head from the brick pile to the table on which the bricks were made. Before his father had reached eighteen years of age he had traveled nearly four times the distance around the earth in the same toil.

He realized the brutality and misery which he suffered, and with which all brickyard children were surrounded, with a purpose. With every cuff, kick and oath administered was again clinched a determination to emancipate himself and his kind. From the extra fee secured by watching the brick kilns two nights of each week, he secured four years' night schooling and a few books. When he had reached man's estate he became the "George Smith of Coalville," whose name all England now knows almost as a household word, by securing the management of a small red brickyard at that place. He made the owners rich, but eventually lost his position through his ceaseless agitation in behalf of the brickyard children. It is a long, heart breaking story, that of his starvation, suffering, contumely and sacrifices, until he made all England hear him. His grand battle for these helpless ones was made along all lines in marvelous and pathetic simplicity, but with the tremendous force of personal conviction from personal suffering. He will carry to his grave the scars of hurt and wrong that the children for which he pleaded were enduring. He had something to tell of outgoings in English brickfields and brickyards; and he "bulked it out," as he himself says in his work, "The Cry of the Children from the Brickyards of England," in all "its largeness and shame."

In brief, he found, as a lad of seven years, 20,000 girls and boys, many more youthful than himself, in a condition of abuse, horrible slavery, vice, ignorance and misery impossible for the pen of even genius to describe. He worked, starved and battled thirty years for these children, and finally, on the 16th of August, 1871, heard the voice of the speaker of the house of commons ring out, "The ayes have it!" on the passage of a bill which became the fifth clause of the "Factory and workshops amendment act;" gave him the enthusiastic congratulations of the greatest men of England; led Lord Shaftesbury to exclaim, "Bless God for his grace on your efforts," and had achieved for himself the first great victory of his life. The actual result was to send, on Jan. 1, 1872, 20,000 half naked children out of the brick and tile yards to school, and forever prohibit girls under sixteen being employed in this form of labor.

But George Smith of Coalville had only begun. His second crusade was in behalf of the canalboat children. As a boy slave he had toiled in brickyards abutting the canals. In these boats and barges he saw thousands more children employed in a drudgery equally murderous and living in a condition infinitely more degrading. Perhaps 125,000 persons—men, women and children—were employed in navigating some 25,000 boats over nearly 5,000 miles of canals and navigable rivers in England. They were in secluded places, and even literature had woven a poetic glamor about them. Their poor children had dropped out of sight. They were growing up in the stuffy cabins almost like wild beasts. Thrashed, kicked, beaten with ropes, sticks and heavy iron boots, many became as stupid as the asses which they drove. Blasphemy, drunkenness, thieving, incest and inconceivable degradation among these folk were universal. This children's friend determined to rescue these lost heathens as he had rescued the brickyard children.

He wrote thousands of letters and circulars, tramped hundreds of miles along canal banks, stormed the newspapers and besieged parliament; and all the while himself and family were numberless times suffering for bread. Finally, in 1875, he managed to publish his book, "Our Canal Population." With this he made England stand still and listen again. In 1876 he had succeeded in enlisting the government so far as to institute official inquiries and take evidence, and then he was asked to frame a bill. This was blocked in all manner of ways in committee, and for a time the measure seemed lost; but on the final day of the session of parliament in August, 1877, though not until Home Secretary Cross had been called to Osborne House for an interview regarding the matter with the queen, who has always been sympathetically and practically a friend of this unlettered philanthropist, his second great triumph for England's lowly children was achieved, and his bill was unanimously passed—while, half fainting with hunger and anxiety, and with not a sixpence in his pocket, he sat in the speaker's gallery thanking God for what had been accomplished.

Briefly, this bill provided for the registration of all canalboats in England by the sanitary authorities precisely the same as any residence habitation, which absolutely abolished the former abominable disease breeding and carrying character of the tiny crafts. It brought all the 40,000 canalboat children under the education act, so that by a system of pass books they were enabled to attend any school where they might be temporarily tarrying. It abolished, by inspection on the part of local authorities, all possibility of illicit relations of canalboat folk, who had heretofore been under no authority and surveillance. It limited the number of occupants in the diminutive cabins, and it resulted in placing three-fourths of the entire canal folk of England in homes along the canal banks. Evils of course still exist, but the change for the better has been of a marvelous character.

George Smith of Coalville not only brought about both the great brickyard and canalboat reforms, but he has been as persistent an agitator in seeing that the provisions of the two bills were carried out. He has tramped thousands of miles in doing this; his long, flowing white hair and beard; his kindly, smiling, fatherly face; his powerful figure; his benign though piercing eyes, which seem to instantly penetrate the very marrow of incidents, homelore and secrets of water side, brickyard and gipsy communities, being familiar everywhere in England among the lowly. His face, form and figure are just as familiar in the streets of London among the haunts of the rich, where he comes with blunt words and ways to make the fortunate help the unfortunate; and he gets it too. And no man within the walls of parliament house is more known, noted and beloved, even by those who oppose his efforts in behalf of children, than is this man who has no actual right to any of the countless privileges which are his. He is Hon. George Smith, of Coalville, member for Everywhere, and representing a constituency more powerful than any statesman or leader—the millions of British children whom billions of British capital would otherwise remorselessly enthrall.

Perhaps these people are densest at Birmingham, Manchester, Goole, Wigan and Runcorn. The extensive distribution of manufactured goods at Birmingham, of imports as well as manufactures at Manchester, of Yorkshire imports and exports at Goole, by way of the seaport of Hull; the tremendous shipments of Lancashire coal at Wigan and the bringing of the Cornish white clay to the Staffordshire potteries through the Mersey, via Runcorn, with the return craft laden with pottery wares, account for this.

All the English midland canals are of far less capacity than our own. The bottoms are in the form of an inverted arch, and the locks are only 7 feet wide. Consequently canal boats here are very diminutive. They are usually only from 25 to 30 ton boats; 6 feet 6 inches wide, 65 feet long, and with only 3 feet of keel. The cabins are therefore scarcely one-fourth the size of those of our boats. They are only 5 feet wide and high and 8 feet long. From 3 to 4 feet of their height protrudes above deck. The exposed sides are always covered with most wonderful paintings representing the highest expression of art among these lowly folk, and a dog kennel invariably surmounts the decorated cabin top. Within this 200 cubic feet of space are a bed for the boatman and wife, a bunk beneath for the children, a stove, locker and hanging table, with an extraordinary collection of crockery and cooking utensils, considering the space, and opposite is a bench which is the parlor and dining room by day and boudoir for a grown up son or daughter, or a male "crew," at night.

Like the gipsies, the English canal folk live well, but everything is boiled. Hodge podges of beef and herrings, with the vegetables which are got for a song, or for the pilling, along their pleasant way, are the favorite. More than two-thirds live in their own homes and, while still conducting the boats, as families, the little cabins are almost wholly in the nature of temporary accommodations for a short journey. Besides fully one-third of the boatmen now own their own boats, as with our own canalers. Another one-third hire boats at about ten shillings per week, supplying their own help, animals and food, and earning good profits from their responsibility and labor. The remainder are owned by manufacturing concerns which employ their own boatmen.

The dress of these lowly people is quite distinctive and often unique. The men are always attired in flannel jackets and shirts, open at the neck, and with a gaudy colored or black handkerchief under their wide collars, similar to the London costermongers; a billy cock hat, or fur cap with visor in winter and summer; moleskin or flannel trousers and heavy, hobnailed boots, in the front of which there must always be a leather tongue or flap, which falls down over the foot, and which is invariably decorated with all manner of curious notches and punctures. All the women and girls wear flaming quilted calico hoods, similar in appearance to a small, old fashioned "sun bonnet." Aprons match the hoods. A tiny red shawl, pinned at the throat by a massive brooch, falls over the shoulders. The dress is of heavy woolen stuff, usually dark in color, with short petticoats, and beneath these appear high, "navy," hobnailed boots, laced with stout leather thongs. Underclothing is absolutely a superfluity.

The girls and women steer the craft, and the girls drive the animals, usually broken down cab horses or asses, sitting astride. Only about thirty miles' distance per day is made, as the English canalboat always "stables" for the night; and all "reliefs" of labor are indicated by landmarks, such as tunnels, locks, inns and bridges, and are not made at stated hours. At the side of every English canal may be found little inns, no more than a mile apart, which are always public houses, where there are also canal side wharves. These inns provide stabling for the animals, and sell their owners bags of horse food, consisting of mixed chopped hay, oats, bran and horse beans. Arrived at one of these for the night the crews repair to the taproom, where "four ale" or rum, as is the custom among the laboring classes everywhere in England, are drunk sparingly, while yarns are spun and ancient and savory pipes are smoked until the closing, at 10 o'clock. At that hour a hundred thousand canal folk are "turning in" for the night in their tiny cabins, moored beside the bosky banks of canals in the slumbrous English valleys—the women first, the men afterward. And all these hundred thousand now civil, simple and honest folk are up and away at 4 o'clock in the morning.

EDGAR L. WAKEMAN.

MODERN WITCHCRAFT.

Some Queer Examples of It Found in England.

Strange Revelations Through the Demise of a Purported Wizard—Absurd Letters from Simple-Minded Folk.

That an extraordinary amount of superstition still exists in some of the agricultural counties, particularly in the west of England, has been demonstrated recently, says Cassell's Saturday Journal, by circumstances which have come to light in connection with the recent death of a Taunton oracle, who was known throughout Somerset, Devon and Dorset as "Billy the Piper." He was for many years looked upon as the "Wizard of the West," and a large bundle of letters which were found in his house reveal to an astonishing extent the credulity of certain people in those parts.

Billy, who was seventy-six when he died, had lived in the same house for forty years. He commenced life by hawking pipes, but doubtless the acquaintance he formed with country folk while he was peregrinating with humble "clays" opened his eyes to their superstitious beliefs and induced him to pose as a past master of witchcraft and fortune-telling. And it was not only simple villagers who were reckoned among Billy's clients. Farmers and well-to-do people frequently consulted him—the former believing that he could cast disease out of their cattle, the latter regarding him as an infallible aid in the discovery and punishment of those who had done them wrong.

Billy was a thin, wizened old man, and in his long Inverness cloak and sombrero hat was a familiar figure all the country round. His fingers were covered with rings, and a dilapidated wig, which covered the top part of his face, rendered his appearance extremely curious. It is said that when he visited some parts of Somerset offers of hospitality were so numerous that he had to exercise his choice. This rose from an idea that it was lucky to have "the wise man" under the roof. The letters which were found in the house at the old man's death are mostly from illiterate people.

In many references are made to inclosures for "valuable services." One woman wrote: "Everything is going wrong at my house to-day. I don't know whose been, or if they caused it withouf coming. Mother was going to have the chimney swept, and the man isn't come yet, and I expect he will come after dinner, so I shan't have a chance to burn the water as you said. Also I thought of going to a grand site at Exeter, but they have caused my father to want to go, and we can't both get away. Also they caused the girl not to be able to do her work fast enough."

An example of the absurd idea that the wizard could divulge the name of a person's enemies is found in the letter of a Devonshire girl, who said: "She came back again last night. I hope you will try and stop her, as it makes me quite ill, the thoughts of it! I wish the old thing was dead, as I'm afraid there won't be no peace for me while she is living. There is another woman that she is very friendly with, who goes about to places with her, so I've been told. Her name is ——. I've done all you have told me. I forgot to tell you before that she takes in work what I used to do."

A Devonshire farmer, equally simple, wrote: "I thought I would drop you a few lines to let you know how things are getting on. We have not lost anything since, but the things seem to be taken in a very queer way sometimes. As they was not to work yesterday one of the horses fell in the hedge-trough, and they were obliged to get two or three men to help it out again. I have done and am doing every morning what you told me. I should like to know who my enemies are, that I might beware of them."

A Bridgewater "client," growing impatient, thus addressed the wise man: "Dear Mr. Brower: I have carried out your instructions, but I find it don't infect the parties yet. Do you think you could recommend any other thing to find them out, as I fancy I want to know who it is that is doing me wrong?"

DIRECTORS OF PARTIES.

A New Industry Created by the Demands of Fashion.

A director of children's parties is one of the latest industries created by the need of the fashionable world, says the New York Times. The young scions of the "four hundred" and their imitators are no longer content with games and dancing and a supper like their elders, some special entertainment must be provided. The "director" attends to all this, addresses the invitations, provides the music, engages the caterer and discusses with him a suitable menu, comes early to the house on the day of the fete, arranges flowers and other decorations, puts away breakable bric-a-brac (for even the little children of the rich will romp), is on hand at the arrival of the small guests, and after the presdigitator, Punch and Judy, tableaux, or whatever show is over, starts games and dancing, and in various ways keeps up the spirit of the affair. More than all this, the director returns the next day to superintend the restoration to its normal condition of the house after such a visitation as a children's party. Of course, the director is a woman, and several of them are finding a fair support in this pursuit, transferring their services during the summer to the out-of-town cottages of their patrons.

Tons of Bank Notes.

The stock of paid notes in the Bank of England for five years is about 77,745,000 in number, and they fill 19,400 boxes, which, if placed side by side, would reach two and one-third miles. If the notes were placed in a pile they would reach to a height of five and two-thirds miles, or if joined end to end would form a ribbon 12,455 miles long. Their original value was over £1,750,000,000, and their weight over ninety and two-thirds tons.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

THE UNDERSIGNED will receive tenders up to noon Saturday, 28th inst. for the erection of a four-story and basement brick hotel, facing Store street, for Mrs. Astlico.

Lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

JNO. TEAGUE,
Architect.
no14

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

W. H. BAINBRIDGE, Secretary of the B.C. Pottery and Terra Cotta Works, the B.C. Agricultural Association, and the Victoria Jockey Club, has removed his offices to the JEWELL BLOCK, DOUGLAS STREET. se19-t

In the matter of James Blake, deceased intestate, and in the matter of the Official Administrator's Act, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I, the undersigned William Monteith, have been appointed under an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia dated 5th November, 1891, administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of James Blake, deceased.

All parties indebted to the said estate are hereby notified to pay to me forthwith their said indebtedness, and those having claims there against are requested to present same to me within sixty days from this date.

Victoria, B.C., 5th November, 1891.
WM. MONTEITH,
no6-30t Official Administrator.

In the matter of Charles McCarthy, deceased, intestate, and in the matter of the Official Administrator's Act, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I, the undersigned, William Monteith, have been appointed under an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, dated 4th Nov., 1891, Administrator of all and singular the goods chattels and credits of Chas. McCarthy, deceased.

All parties indebted to the said estate are hereby notified to pay to me, forthwith, their said indebtedness; and those having claims thereagainst are required to present same to me within sixty days from this date.

Victoria, B.C., 4th November, 1891.
WM. MONTEITH,
no5 Official Administrator.

In the matter of Abel Beswick, deceased intestate, and in the matter of the Official Administrator's Act, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I, the undersigned William Monteith, have been appointed under an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia dated 12th October, 1891, administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of Abel Beswick, deceased.

All parties indebted to the said estate are hereby notified to pay to me forthwith their said indebtedness, and those having claims there against are requested to present same to me within sixty days from this date.

Victoria, B.C., 12th October, 1891.
WM. MONTEITH,
oct2-60t Official Administrator.

SANDFORD JAMES MARTIN.

Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors.

PURSUANT to the "Trustees and Executors Act," notice is hereby given that all creditors and persons having claims upon or against the estate of Sandford James Martin, general dry goods and hardware dealer of Victoria, are required to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned on or before the 15th December, 1891, after which date the Trustees will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the Trustees shall then have have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice.

Dated this 22nd day of October, 1891.
THORNTON FELL,
Solicitor for the Trustees, John Wilson Lawrence of Toronto, and Richard Edward Cooper of Victoria. oc22-td

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the purchase of the following described land, situated on Barclay Sound. Commencing at the southwest corner of Indian Reserve, Uchucleset Harbor; following the shore line 20 chains southwesterly more or less; thence 15 chains west to shore line of Rainy Bay; thence 30 chains northwesterly along shore; thence 40 chains east to northeast corner of Indian Reserve; thence south 70 chains following Indian Reserve line to point of commencement. Containing about 190 acres, more or less.

GEO. A. COOPER.
Victoria, B.C., Nov. 5, 1891. no5

NOTICE.

I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY debts contracted by my wife or any other person on her behalf.

JOHN J. RUSSELL,
Strawberry Vale Farr
Victoria Dec' 11, 1890. de12-tf

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the city of Victoria at its next regular meeting for a transfer of my license to sell intoxicating liquor at the Nickle Plate Saloon, Government street, to Thomas Garvin.

oc3-td ARTHUR FOX.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, at its next regular meeting for a transfer of my license to sell wine, liquors and cigars by retail at the premises situate at the corner of Store and Cormorant streets, Victoria City, and know as the Caledonian saloon to Joseph Munier, Joseph H Brown and Henry Fox.

JOSEPH CARPENTER.
Dated September 19th, 1891.

NOTICE OF TRANSFER OF LICENSE.

TAKE NOTICE that we intend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Court, to be held in and for the city of Victoria, for the transfer of the license for the sale of intoxicating liquors, etc., by retail on the premises known as the "Dominion Hotel," situate at No. 107 Government street in the city of Victoria, from J. Cook and W. W. Petrie to W. W. Petrie and W. R. Jackson.

Dated Victoria, B.C., this 9th day of November, 1891.

(Signed) J. COOK.
W. W. PETRIE.
no13-1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that we intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the city of Victoria for a retail license to sell wines, liquors &c., by the bottle only on the premises situate at 64 Douglas street, Victoria, B. C.

CALIFORNIA WINE CO.
per C. F. Jackson,
nov18-tf Manager.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN that we intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the city of Victoria at its next regular meeting for a transfer of our license to sell intoxicating liquor at the "Mirror" Saloon, Yates street, corner Broad, to James Munger and Alexander G. Black.

W. R. MUNGER.
no18-td JAMES MUNGER.

NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS OF GARESCHE, GREEN & Co., Bankers, will be carried on without interruption by the Trustees of the Estate.

F. R. WORLOCK, } Trustees
se21 J. S. CHANTRELL, }

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I SHALL not be responsible for any debts contracted without my written order.

W. F. TOLMIE.
Victoria Sept. 8, 1891. sep 8

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STATUS OF MAGISTRATES.

Premier Robson Set Right on the Matter by Mr. Sproat.

The following letter appears in a recent issue of the Nelson Miner:

Mr. Robson's letter, in your last week's issue, is inaccurate. Possibly his studies may not have included the subject with which he deals. The case is simply this: I held for a period certain administrative offices in this district. Mr. Tunstall succeeded me, and his succession to these administrate offices was, of course, gazetted. But I held at the time of Mr. Tunstall's succession, and still hold, a judicial office, namely, that of stipendiary magistrate for the whole province. I believe I am the senior magistrate. My first commission as a magistrate is dated 31 years ago, and, though I have had both civil and criminal jurisdiction, no decision of mine has been quashed. For this I seek no credit but the credit of having diligently studied every case on which I have had to adjudicate. I have always felt the grave responsibility of sitting in judgment on a fellowman, who, perhaps, but for certain accidents of life, might have been judging me. The Gazette notice, which Mr. Robson copies, refers solely to the administrative offices mentioned. It could not have included the judicial office, because the office of a magistrate is only determinable—as I supposed everyone knew—either directly by writ under the great seal, for good cause shown and stated, such as proved criminality, or malicious, corrupt, or oppressive action in his office, or indirectly, by a new general commission from which the name of the magistrate is omitted. This is the A B C of constitutional practice. The rule, in its application to inferior judges, is deduced and established from the positive declaration in the act of settlement in the reign of William III. with reference to the superior judges, who cannot be removed while they properly demean themselves, or without an address from both Houses of Parliament. There is, as a matter of law, this distinction, namely, that the superior judges do not, and magistrates do, hold office, nominally, during pleasure, but this is merely to avoid formalities and inconvenience, in the case of the latter, when for good cause it becomes necessary to remove a magistrate. They all are on the same footing, so far as the will of the crown is concerned, according to constitutional practice, which has the force of law. Magistrates are not answerable to the executive government. The independence of the judiciary—as well the inferior as the superior judges—is one of the main buttresses of our English freedom. The subject, lately, has been much discussed, in connection with the Irish affairs. You may remember that the heaviest charge which the Gladstonians could allege against Mr. Balfour was that he was trying to instruct or influence the magistrates, who, for this reason, were cleverly nicknamed "Balfour's Removables." There is, in Ireland, and in the Northwest Territories of the Dominion of Canada, and limitedly, in our districts, an anomalous mixture of administrative and judicial functions, which very easily expose a government to the odious charge of interfering with the judiciary. In England it is the Queen's Bench division of the High Court of Justice which exercises a general superintendence over the conduct of those to whom the administration of criminal justice is committed. The whole subject is interesting and branches in various directions, but I cannot trespass further on your space. However, I ought to add, as revelant to the subject being discussed, that it was stated clearly by the Lord Chancellor last year, in a debate in the House of Lords, that a magistrate of a larger jurisdiction (say the province) is not expected to act, and, indeed, cannot properly act within the sectional area (say West Kootenay) for which a magistrate has been specially appointed, unless such latter is, for any reason, unable to act. This is precisely what I have done here, on the particular request of the local magistrate or justices in each case, and generally with loss and inconvenience to myself—but I suppose we all must consent to perform some public duties. Doubtless, in my old (I am sorry if I must say my "former") friend, Mr. Robson's experiences on all sides of politics, and in your own Odysseyan wanderings, you both have learned something, but, in a matter of constitutional law and practice, I prefer the opinion of the Lord Chancellor, and the result of my own not restricted examination of the question which has been raised in the correspondence above referred to.

Your obedient servant,

G. M. SPROAT.

Nelson, October 12th.

Victoria, Nov. 16th, 1891.

Dr. W. E. Bergman, Medical Electrician.

DEAR SIR: For seven years I had been suffering from total deafness in the left ear and a slight affection in the right ear. I was also suffering from a skin that grew over my right eye. After treatment by electricity 16 times I was rendered much benefit, being able to hear the tick of a watch and can also see out of the right eye. I feel certain that after you have treated me a few more times I will be cured. I wish this published for the benefit of of those suffering from deafness and blindness, considering it my duty to do so. Yours truly,

Thos. Baby,
1t No. 194 Cook street.

Sent to San Quentin.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 21.—Barney Maloney and Charles Marshall, who robbed the office of the police property clerk last May, pleaded guilty to-day and were each sentenced to five years' imprisonment at San Quentin.

The Czar of Russia.

The Czar of Russia probably has his own troubles as well as we commoner mortals. Where we have the advantage in such troubles as dyspepsia, biliousness, constipation, bad blood and the like is in being able to procure easily a perfect remedy in Burdock Blood Bitters, nature's grand restorative tonic and purifier.

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THE GOOD OLD DAYS.

Ways in Which We Are Better Off Than Our Grandfathers.

Men are prone to look back at old times as good times when the world went better than it does to-day and the sun shone considerably brighter. The mists of years soften outlines and round off angles. The man looking backward sees things thus softened and poetized. At least too often for truth the ordinary man so sees the past and depicts it to the present. There are some men who are so gifted with the ability to put away illusions that they can paint the past as it was, not as it might, could, would or should have been. Col. S. C. Wrightington comes within this category, says the Boston Transcript, and his picture of labor in a New England manufacturing town fifty years ago is a revelation to this generation and a reminiscence whose fidelity will be recognized by all who were toilers at that time. Life and labor in the mills in the time described were hard. The operative worked longer than the operative of to-day, and under conditions more unfavorable to his comfort. Neither were the laboring classes so well fed and housed as they are to-day. It does not appear, however, that the laborers of fifty years ago felt their lot to be a particularly hard one. Everybody labored long and hard then. The mill people labored with the rest. That the moral and intellectual tone of mill operatives was much higher than it is to-day is undoubtedly a fact. It is certified by the fact that so large a proportion of them came from the hardy, intelligent yeomanry of New England. The operatives were intelligent, not because of their surroundings, but despite them.

The laboring classes of to-day are better paid, better clothed, better housed and better fed than their fathers were. They have more money and they spend more. It is often said of them that they spend all, but that this is not the truth is demonstrated by the tremendous growth of savings-bank deposits. The progress of the laboring class in the matter of wage-earning is often lost sight of by them, and is carefully kept out of sight by professional agitators, who fatten on the discontent they stir up. In reality the improvement of their lot has kept pace with the improvement of the general lot. Making due allowance for the cost of preparation and study, we doubt if the ordinary professional men as a class earn incomes as greatly in excess of those their fathers earned as are the incomes of the laboring men of 1891 over those of 1841.

The improvement in the lot of the laboring classes has been due to the introduction of labor-saving machinery, to better transportation facilities, to the growth of the belief that recreation is not wasteful but necessary, and to the opportunity our government offers for working reforms without causing revolutions.

He Didn't Mean it.

OAKLAND, Cal., Nov. 21.—Joseph York, who left his wife in North Oakland and wrote to her that he would commit suicide, has been heard from. He writes to his wife from the Yosemite Valley saying that he is working in a hotel there and that he must have been insane when he threatened suicide.

A Great Convenience.

From this date Jackson & Mylius, jewellers, 76 Government street, will send for your clock, and return it when properly adjusted. Call, or drop in a card, which will have our prompt attention. Watches and jewelery repaired. All work guaranteed.

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Per str. City of Kingston, from the Sound—E M Beede, J P Watkins, C Woodall, M Rounds, E Brown, R Dinglaps, P Summerfield, A S Farwell, J F McCulloch, G B Nagle, Miss Archanbault, A F Stewart, Mrs Bone, W Colquhon, J Suhlman, E Harley, D Ferguson, D S Duchman, G A Borden, W J Goepel, E Mallandaine, J Rogers, H F Forfest, Mrs Flemming and son.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—J E S Kinney, M Hallan, F S Howe, F Williams, Miss Skinner, Mrs Langley, J H Gibson, H Burgess, C F Emerson, Mrs Meldram, J H Meldram, M P Empey, J A Tapotin, J J Southcott, Jno S Anderson, F G Vernon, C E Pooley and wife, E H Rome, A E Rand, Mrs McLeod, J Pierson, J Hind and wife, H Bornstein, W McClure.

CONSIGNEES.

Per str. City of Kingston from the Sound—Bailey & Co, Singer Mfg Co, Turner, Beeton & Co, D R Ross & Co, Lenz & Leiser, G H Maynard, Miller Bros, Mrs T Lancaster, Cowan & Wilson, Ames Holden & Co, Spencer & P, J & A Clearihue, Beerede, Ed Gen E Co, Bennet S M Co, H Saunders, Munroe & H.

Per Steamer Islander from Vancouver—Colbert & Warner, W S Hampson, M W Waitt, Hudson Bay Co, G F Gillis, Fell & Co, S Leiser, Dustn Bros, W J Phillips, J B Pearson, David-son Bros, Lenz & Leiser, G L Simpson, A B Erskine, Geo Morrison, J Earsman, Mrs G Graham, J Sommers, Boucherat & Co, W Russell, C B Lockhart, Mrs E Dickenson, Crossley & Hunter, W & J Wilson, Kurtz & Co, Thompson & K, Vic L G Co, J W Mellor, R P Rithet, R Maynard, J Fullerton, A F Webb, R Lettice, Kingham & M, Mrs Bickford, E C Baker, J A T Catot, Hudson Bay Co, Traders Bank, J Piercy & Co, J Barnsley & Co, Mrs F Stephenson, Shore & Anderson, Weiler Bros, Russell McD, J Wriglesworth, R T Williams, Robert Irving, E C Mason, H Gribble, Gilmore & McC, H Gordon, S Mansell, T N Hibben & Co H Saunders, E G Prior, Ames Holden & Co, R Jamieson, B Col Journal, Claud Barry, Mrs Fraser, D Hart, S Reid, Langley & Co, Thompson & Co, Ledingham Bros, R H Gray, McLennan & McF, J Englehart, C P N Co, Matthews R & Tye, Cowan & W, Carne & M, Mrs S Brancomb, J Dalby, Thos Earle, P McQuade, Fred White, R E Cooper, Lindson & Aldons, Wm Eckert, Sehl-Hastie-Erskine Co, Dom Exp Co.

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When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
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An Iowa Town Scorched.

CORRECTIONVILLE, Ia., Nov. 21.—Fire yesterday destroyed 20 buildings, including the Lang block, which contained the opera house. The losses aggregate $80,000.

Makes the Weak Strong

The marked benefit which people in run down or weakened state of health derive from Hood's Sarsaparilla, conclusively proves the claim that this medicine "makes the weak strong." It does not act like a stimulant, imparting fictitious strength from which there must follow a reaction of greater weakness than before, but in the most natural way Hood's Sarsaparilla overcomes

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"Last spring I was completely fagged out. My strength left me and I felt sick and miserable all the time, so that I could hardly attend to my business. I took one bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and it cured me. There is nothing like it." R. C. BEGOLE, Editor Enterprise, Belleville, Mich.

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AT THE
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AT 8:30 P.M.,
ON MONDAY, NOV. 30.

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DANCING.

Mrs. Edward Dickinson having returned from San Francisco will re-open the Dancing Academy, Harmony Hall, View street, on 31st October instant.

CHILDREN'S CLASS.
Saturdays at 2:15 p.m., commencing Oct. 31st.
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Saturdays at 8 p.m., commencing Nov. 7th.

Private classes formed. Children taught fancy dances. oc28-1m

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LAND NOTICES.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED INTENDS MAKING application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land situate in Goldstream District, V.I., commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of section 8, Goldstream District; thence N 80 E magnetic, along the south boundary of Section 8, eighty chains; thence S 4° E magnetic, forty chains; thence S 80 W magnetic, eighty chains; thence N 4° W magnetic, forty chains to the place of beginning. The above lines will conform to the system of survey in Goldstream District.

T. LUBBE.
October 14, 1891. oc15-m-w

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land on Rivers Inlet, commencing at a post marked "C." on the east bank of Inlet, about three miles below Mr. Heiresen's station, running east 20 chains; south 80 chains; west 20 chains; thence following meanderings of shore 80 chains to starting point.

PHILIP JACOBSON.
11th September, 1891. oc16-2m-w

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 30 days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease the following described timber land in Renfrew District:—Commencing at a post about one and a quarter miles north from the beach, and one mile west of the Jordan River; thence north 40 chains; thence west 200 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 200 chains to post.

Dated Victoria, B.C., October 27th, 1891.
oc30-w-1m D. CARMODY & CO.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 30 days after date we intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease for lumbering purposes the following described tracts of land, situate in Alberni District, Vancouver Island, British Columbia:—

Commencing at a stake about 5 chains from Raymore Point and Raymore Creek, head of Great Central Lake; thence north 20 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence south 60 chains; thence east 180 chains to post; containing 1000 acres, more or less.

Commencing at a stake on the south side of Great Central Lake, the northeast corner of Group No. 14 of D. Carmody & Co.'s advertisement of October 16th, 1890; thence south 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 20 chains; thence east 100 chains; thence following meandering of lake to post; containing 300 acres, more or less.

Commencing at a stake on Taylor River about 5 miles west from Klee Coot Lake; thence north 60 chains; thence west 200 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 60 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence west 140 chains; thence south 30 chains; thence east 100 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence north 30 chains to post; containing 1060 acres, more or less.

Commencing at a stake about one mile from the southwest corner of the above mentioned tract, on an unknown river that empties into Clayoquot Sound; thence west 40 chains; thence south 100 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 10 chains to post; containing 400 acres, more or less.

Commencing at a stake on the north side of Sproat Lake, about 5 miles from the beach, at an old lumber camp, about 30 chains from Group No. 16 of D. Carmody & Co.'s advertisement of October 16th, 1890; thence north 20 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence north 20 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence east 20 chains to post; containing 80 acres, more or less.

Dated 28th October, 1891.
oc30-w-1m D. CARMODY & CO.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, B.C., for permission to purchase 160 acres of Crown land on the right bank of Skeena River, Coast district, commencing at a post on the river bank marked C. Todd S.W., near R. Cunningham & Son's upper stake, about 40 chains eastward from Kitick Creek, and measuring 80 chains up the bank of Skeena River to a bluff rock bank; thence northerly 20 chains up the side hill; thence westwardly 80 chains; thence southerly 20 chains to the initial point.

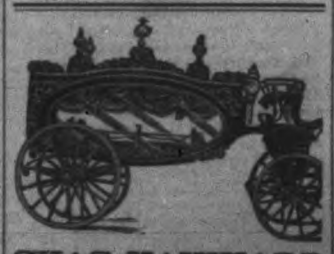
CHARLES TODD.
Skeena River, B.C., Oct. 8, 1891. oc16-2m-w

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend making application to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described pasture land, situated in Otter District:—Beginning at southwest corner of James Shields', junior, claim; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south to boundary line between Sooke and Otter Districts; thence along said line to point of commencement.

oc15-2m-w JAMES SHIELDS, SENIOR.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for leave to purchase 640 acres of land situated in Sooyoos division, Yale district, commencing at Indian Reserve post on south bank of Shingle Creek; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

THOMAS ELLIS.
Victoria, B.C., October 13, 1891. oc16-2m-w



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Dec. 30.

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WEATHER REPORT.

VICTORIA, B.C., Nov. 21, 1891.

Corrected by Mr. F. C. Gamble, C. E.

Time	Ther'ter	Bar.	W	Remarks.
1 p.m	49	29.94	S W by S	Cloudy
6 p.m	47	30.03	W S W	"
10 p.m	47	30.15		Overcast
6 a.m	45	30.27	S E	"
1 p.m	48	30.25	E by S	Cloudy

Temperature—Highest, 50; lowest, 45.

TIDE RECORD—VICTORIA HARBOR, B.C.
For 24 hours ending 1 p.m. Nov. 21, 1891.

FRIDAY, Nov. 20.				SATURDAY, Nov. 21.			
h. m.	Tide ft above datum.	h. m.	Tide ft above datum.	h. m.	Tide ft above datum.	h. m.	Tide ft above datum.
1	8.16	8	4.92	1	.33	8	6.92
2	8.16	9	3.66	2	.92	9	7.33
3	8.25	10	2.09	3	1.83	10	7.75
4	7.92	11	1.00	4	3.00	11	7.83
5	7.50	12	.42	5	4.25	12	7.83
6	6.83			6	5.50	1	7.66
7	6.00			7	6.16		

Queer Suit Among Politicians.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—Russell J. Wilson, chairman of the democratic state central committee, has sued Irwin C. Stump, chairman of the republican state committee, to recover $10,000. The action is based on the famous "Old Pard" letter which Governor H. H. Markham is alleged to have written to K. G. Hallock. The letter was industriously circulated during the last campaign. The republican state central committee, through Stump as chairman, offered $10,000 for the genuine letter written by Markham, claiming the one published to be a forgery. Wilson produced an "Old Pard" letter, but failed to convince Stump of its authenticity and was therefore unable to collect the money for which he now sues.

Corn Went Up.

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—For a time this morning there was a panic in the corn pit in the exchange, and November options sold up from 7 cents from the closing of yesterday. The advance was caused by an article in a morning paper, declaring that there was a corner in November delivery corn. The shorts became frightened and rushed to cover. Their heavy buying sent the price up rapidly and caused much excitement. November opened at 55 against 53, the final figure of yesterday, advanced rapidly to 60, then fell off to 58¼.

Maltreated by his Insane Wife.

GREENVILLE, Ohio, Nov. 21.—Mrs. Charles Heflinger threw a bowlful of concentrated lye into her husband's face at Arcanum Thursday night. Heflinger fled to a neighbor's house. His wife pursued him, and as he was washing his eyes she drove the blade of a hatchet into his back. Then the woman went home and cut her own throat. It is supposed that she was insane. Heflinger will lose his sight, and may lose his life.

Burned in a Tenement House.

NEW YORK, Nov. 21.—A crowded tenement house, 39 Baxter street, was damaged to the extent of $30,000 by fire this morning. The 150 occupants all got out in safety by way of the fire escapes, with the exception of Barbara Bergion, an unmarried woman 40 years of age, who was found on the top floor burned to death.

John L. Wasn't Shot.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov, 21.—A rumor was in circulation this morning that John L. Sullivan had been shot. Investigation by a United Press reporter, however, showed there was no foundation whatever for the report. Sullivan went to his room in the Baldwin hotel shortly after midnight, and at nine o'clock is still in retirement.

A Governor Dying.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 21.—The doctors who have been attending Governor Alvin P. Hovey last night announced that they abandoned all hope of his recovery. Congestion of the lungs set in last night, and all day yesterday the governor was sinking. Governor Hovey's special train, which had taken the Indiana visitors to Mexico, returned Wednesday night, two weeks before they had intended. The Governor had taken a cold and had been in his bed since last Sunday.

Fire in Syracuse.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Nov. 21.—Fire in the Bastable block, which contained the Standard Theatre besides a score or more of offices, with about a dozen stores on the ground floor, raged furiously at 4:30 o'clock this morning. The entire building above the second floor was gutted, including the theatre. All effects and the stores below were wrenched with water. There were half a dozen lodge rooms in the east end of the building, including those of Home Lodge Knights of P., Syracuse, Land Lodge No. 91, I. O. O. F. American Lodge, No. 607, I.O.O.F., Robt. Post, G.A.R., Sons of Veterans, the Royal Arcanum and Syracuse Lodge, A.O.U.W. Some valuable war relics were destroyed. The loss of the lodges will aggregate $10,000. The stores on the west side of the building, including those of S. Rosenbloom & Sons, boots and shoes; John H. Mann & Co., groceries and sporting goods and H. G. Stone, dry goods, were badly damaged by water. Total loss about $200,000.

Horsewhipped by a Woman.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 21.—Mrs. Steit, wife of Wm. Steit, a grocer, horsewhipped Edward Willard on the street yesterday. Willard was formerly a clerk employed by her husband, but is now in business for himself. Mrs. Steit says that Willard has been talking about her. She lay in wait for him, and when Willard came along she stepped from her place of concealment and saying 'You will slander me will you?" she applied her whip. Willard started to run, but as he is only five feet high and weighs 270 pounds she easily kept up with him. Bystanders finally seized Mrs. Steit and allowed him to escape. Mrs. Steit says that if he persists in slandering her she will shoot him, and her friends say she will keet her word. Willard applied for a warrant her for arrest, but by the advice of counsel he concluded to let the matter drop.

The Brazilian Troubles.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—The news concerning the situation in Brazil continues to be very meager. The provisional junta in authority in the State of Rio Grande do Sul is taking active measures to strengthen its position and to maintain opposition to Fonseca's dictatorship. Baron Lucerna, president of the Fonseca cabinet, has sent a dispatch to the junta, offering on the part of the dictator to recognize any local government that the people of Rio Grande do Sul may prefer, on the sole condition that peace and tranquility be first restored. To this offer the junta replied that their forces would only disarm when Fonseca shall have resigned and the national congress shall have been assembled.

Franco-Russian Alliance.

PARIS, Nov. 21.—La Paix to-day says that it understands that a Franco-Russian alliance exists verbally and M. De Giers, Russian Minister of Foreign Affairs, who is now visiting this city and President Carnot have only to arrange two points in this alliance, which were up to the time of M. De Giers' arrival still unsettled. La Paix, however in announcing that it has come to this conclusion, simply shows that it has just managed to comprehend what the world at large has understood for months past.

New York State Senator Dead.

HUDSON, N.Y., Nov. 20.—State Senator Gilbert Deane died this morning. This leaves, as returns now stand, the Senate with 16 Republicans, 14 Democrats and one independent. Deane was a Republican.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

Steamer Falcon brought in a load of coal yesterday.

Steamer Daisy arrived from Nanaimo this morning with coal.

Steamer City of Topeka has been taken to Esquimalt drydock by the tug Lorne.

Steamer Maude took 1500 cases of salmon out to the bark Wanlock this morning.

Four electric launches are to be placed on Lake Washington near Seattle for next summer's pleasure seekers.

It is expected that an official investigation into the causes of the wreck of the bark Sarah will be held in a few days.

Steamer Mascotte has just completed the laying of some very heavy moorings for naval vessels in Constance Cove.

The owners of the steamer San Pedro have filed a $20,000 salvage claim against the steamer Wellington which was picked up disagled some time ago.

Steamers Lorne, Danube and Thistle are laid up at Spratt's wharf. The latter is having some alterations made to be in readiness for the forthcoming sealing season.

A steamer is to be built for the Vancouver Steamship Co. of 300 tons register, and capable of carrying 250 passengers. Her dimensions will be as follows: Length, 120 feet; beam, 26 feet; depth of hold, 9 feet. She will be fitted with twin screws, and the engines which will be made for her are to give a speed of 12 or 13 knots. She is to be launched early in the spring.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

F. C. Gamble returned from the Sound this morning.

F. C. Atkinson and George Atkinson, of Westminster, are in the city.

Capt. S. W. Bucknam returned this morning from a trip to the West Coast.

Capt. Palmer, of "C" Battery, will go to California by the next direct steamer.

W. E. Beswick, of Wheeling, Va., a brother of the late A. Beswick of this city, is in town.

Mrs. Capt. Greenhalgh is recovering from her illness and will soon be all right again. The attending physician says the attack was the result of the nervous shock caused by the wreck.

Hon F. G. Vernon, Chief Commissioner of Lands and works, returned yesterday from Okanagan where he was on a visit to the farm which has been just sold to the Earl of Aberdeen.

Harry Stone, the well-known driver, was out to-day for the first time after a long illness from a severe cold. Harry was injured in the kidneys by the fall he had in a collision at the late meeting of the V. J. C., but he is practically over it now. His papers and statements in his case to the Court of Appeals have been forwarded.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FIVE SISTERS BLOCK.

CHAMBERS IN THE UPPER FLOOR to be let singly or in suites. Steam heated throughout. Quick running elevator. Ready for occupation in December. Apply to THOS. C. SORBY, Architect, 6 Bastion Square. no21-7t

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LIST OF FUTURE

AUCTIONS

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 25, AT 11 A.M. Valuable Furniture, Organs, Pianos, &c In the Mart, 46 Yates street. For particulars see to-day's Colonist.

SATURDAY, NOV. 28, AT 7:30 P.M. OIL PAINTINGS, CHROMOS, WATER COLORS, ETC. In the sale rooms, 46 Yates street.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 2, AT 11 A.M. HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, BRIC-A-BRAC Ornamental Items, in the sale rooms, 46 Yates street.

SATURDAY, DEC. 5, AT 7:30 P.M. CHINA, CROCKERY ORNAMENTS, ETC. In the Mart, 46 Yates street. Best-situated rooms in the city.

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY, DEC. 8 & 9. PAPERHANGINGS at the Mart.

FRIDAY & SATURDAY, DEC. 11 & 12, AT 7:30. CHRISTMAS PRESENTS, Fancy Goods, Albums, Books, etc., in the auction rooms, 46 Yates street.

MONDAY, DEC. 14, AT 2:30 P.M. Special Christmas Auction of

400 LIVE TURKEYS

250 Geese, 200 Chickens, at our general sale rooms, 46 Yates street.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 16, AT 11. CHOICE ASSORTMENT JAPANESE GOODS.

SATURDAY, DEC. 19, AT 7:30. 500 BOXES OF CIGARS. 300 PIPES.

Keep your eye upon this list, as it is always changing. Further sales can be arranged, and our sales rooms; the most central in the city, are always open for the receipt of all kinds of merchandise in large or small consignments.

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Seats on sale at Waitt's Music store. Prices 50c. and $1. no21-2t

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PUGET SOUND DIVISION.

The following Schedule for Union Pacific Steamers will be in effect on and after November 1, 1891.

Tacoma-Victoria Route.—Steamer VICTORIAN.

†6:20 p.m.	Lv.	..... Tacoma	.....	Ar.	†4:15 p.m.
8:15 p.m.	Ar.	..... Seattle	.....	Lv.	2:30 p.m.
9:00 p.m.	Lv.	..... Seattle	.....	Ar.	1:45 p.m.
12:01 a.m.	Ar.	..... Port Townsend	.....	Lv.	10:20 a.m.
12:20 a.m.	Lv.	..... Port Townsend	.....	Ar.	10:15 a.m.
*4:30 a.m.	Ar.	..... Victoria	.....	Lv.	†7:30 a.m.

*Daily, except Sunday. †Daily except Saturday. Victoria passengers may remain on board until 7 a.m.

C. G. RAWLINGS, General Agent. Office, No. 100 Government street. no21tf

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED at the City Clerk's office up to 4 p.m. on November 21st, 1891, for supplying 600 tons of cast iron pipe as follows:—

200 tons of 4-inch pipe.
150 tons of 5-inch pipe.
150 tons of 6-inch pipe.
100 tons of 8-inch pipe.

The above to be delivered on or before the first day of May, A.D. 1892.

By order, GILBERT W. CLAYTON-EAST, Acting C.M.C.

City Clerk's office, Oct. 22, 1891.

The time for receiving Tenders for the supply of the above Pipes has been extended to Wednesday, 25th, at 4 o'clock.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, as tailors and gents furnishers has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to George J. Cook by whom the same will be settled.

Dated at Victoria this 17th day of November, 1891.

GEORGE J. COOK. J. T. BURROWS.

Witness: A. B. Fraser. nov21-2w

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THOMAS DAVIDSON, Managing Director in Canada.

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As space forbids we shall only quote a few lines:

5 Bales of Blankets open To-day.

White Blankets, $2.75.
A heavy white Blanket, size for double beds.
A still larger size, the largest Blanket in Victoria, $6.75.
A good heavy grey Blanket, $3.00.
Large size ditto, $4.00.
Bed Comforters, all prices.

DRESS GOODS.

11 pieces Snowflake Dress Goods, 14c. per yd.
13 pieces Stripe Dress Goods, 14c. per yd.
18 pieces Scotch Heather Mixtures; 25c. per yd.
21 pieces Habit Cloth Dress Goods, 20c.
26 pieces double width Amazon Cloths and French Serges and Foulais at 50c.
Splendid value in all wool French Merinos.
Lace Curtains, taped, from 50c. per pair.
Canton Flannels, 15 yds for $1.00.
46 pieces Heavy Grey Flannels, 17½c. per yd.
Men's Heavy Ribbed Cotton Vests and Pants, 25c.
Men's Heavy Wool, Vests and Pants, 62½c.
Ladies' and Children's Heavy Wool Stockings, 25c. per pair.
1 case of our well known P.D. style Corsets, 5 hooks long, from $1.25 per pair.

Argyle House 83 DOUGLAS ST., Clarence Hotel Block.

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